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HUNDREDS PERISH IN EARTHQUAKE

NAMES JUNIORS FOR MINISTRY

Premier Baldwin Adds to List of Appointments Made to Offices in New Conservative Government

LESS NEW BLOOD THAN ADHERENTS HOPED

Foreign Secretary Expresses the Hope That Room Will Shortly Be Found for Sir Robert Horne

LONDON, Nov. 13.—Premier Baldwin today appointed another batch of junior members of his government, some royal household appointments being included. Nearly all the appointed held similar posts in the previous Baldwin government. Captain Sidney Herbert will be the Prime Minister's Parliamentary private secretary. Sir Geoffrey Butler will be private secretary to the Air Minister, Sir Samuel Hoare.

Captain Herbert was born at Newport, Rhode Island, in 1880, his father, Sir Michael Herbert, being British Ambassador to the United States at that time.

Thus, apart from changes necessitated by a desire to heal the Conservative feud and bring Austen Chamberlain and Lord Rothermere into the Ministry, Premier Baldwin has introduced less new blood into the Government than many of his adherents had hoped.

Zenovieff Affair Revived
The Zenovieff affair having laid dormant since the elections, is again in the limelight. Mr. Chamberlain, Foreign Secretary, in a speech at Glasgow, confirmed the report that the Government had appointed a committee to make further inquiries, as the matter, he said, had been left in a very peculiar position by the Government's predecessors. Supplementary information, he added, had been obtained which had failed to reach the Labor Government in time for its inquiry, and when the committee had reported, the Government would decide what action to take.

Room for Sir R. Horne
The only other notable point in Mr. Chamberlain's speech was an expression of keen regret at the absence of Sir Robert S. Horne from the Ministry, and an earnest hope that it would not be long before a place would be found for him.

Parliament will not proceed with actual business of legislation for another month, but the reason of yesterday's Cabinet meeting the principal Government departments are all busy preparing for the session, which will concentrate on the most important questions, such as the cost of food, housing, unemployment and finance.

These questions are being inquired into with a view to placing an effective programme dealing with the social needs of the King's speech at the opening of Parliament.

Another question under consideration concerns a new commercial treaty with Germany, which, it is hoped, will be concluded early in the new year.

LABOR CHIEFS ISSUE PERSONAL APPEAL

Ex-Premier MacDonald and Colleagues Propose to Win People to Socialism

LONDON, Nov. 13.—"Our work now is to win the people to Socialism," is the slogan in an appeal issued by the Independent Labor Party, which is in the nature of a personal appeal signed by the former Premier, J. Ramsay MacDonald; R. B. Shillie, Labor M.P. for Morpeth; John Wheatley, Minister of Health in the MacDonald Government; Miss Margaret Bondfield, Parliamentary Secretary to the Labor Department in the MacDonald Government; J. Maxton, M.P. for the Bridgeton division of Glasgow; and J. Schurr, Labor M.P. for the Mile End division of Stepney.

First Object Achieved
The result of the election, the appeal states, shows that the first object of the Labor Party was largely achieved in that the Liberal Party had ceased to be an effective force in the political life of the country and the workers' organizations were solidly behind the Labor Party.

The appeal continues: "We must show that Socialism is not a destructive force, encouraging antagonism to existing institutions, but a constructive force making for law and true harmony based on justice and service; that the Labor Party is the only party whose programme is founded on beliefs that will lead the world to peace and disarmament."

"We must convince the electors that only by substituting the new motive of service and the new method of scientific organization for the old disorderly scramble for private profit is there any hope of seriously tackling such evils as unemployment and unimproved poverty, or of rebuilding national prosperity."

ALX. CHRISTIE TO RUN FOR MAYOR

Three-Cornered Fight for Office of City's Chief Executive Made Certain by the Announcement

FOR YEARS ACTIVE AS MERCHANT HERE

Mr. Thomas Palmer, Police Commission Candidate, Denies Rumor His Fight Is Impelled by Animosity

A. D. Gilbert D. Christie, for several years a member of the City Council and one of Victoria's best known merchants, announced to 'The Colonist' last night that he had definitely made up his mind to run for Mayor.

"No, I haven't put all the planks of my platform together yet, but I'm working on it," he said, when asked what policies he would sponsor in the campaign.

"I'm going to have some definite proposals to make regarding the management of the city's reverted lands, though, and I have some plans for the encouragement of industries which I hope to put into effect if elected," the alderman added.

He is at present a member of the finance, industrial, international and legislative committees of the council and also of the board of library commissioners. This is his third term as alderman. He first was elected in 1916, but after serving two years in the council he retired, and did not stand for re-election again until last December, when he made a spectacular run and finished close to the top of the poll.

Mr. Christie is proprietor of the Shoe Emporium, a former president of the Automobile Association and a resident of Victoria of many years' standing. He has been particularly active in public affairs affecting merchants and motorists.

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JAPAN CHAMPIONS CHINA'S OPIUM EVIL

RESOLUTION OF NON-INTERVENTION IS OFFERED

Delegate Seeks to Bind League of Nations in Permitting Republic to Manage Own Affairs

GENEVA, Nov. 12.—The International Opium Conference today decided to adopt no resolution concerning the opium evil in China.

Dominating the entire discussion was the dramatic manner in which the League of Nations, Mr. Ruggie, the chief Japanese delegate, today presented a resolution voicing confidence that China loyally would endeavor to stop opium cultivation. The resolution also placed the powers on record as determined to live up to the principles of non-intervention in China's internal affairs.

The delegate from India said he failed to see why questions of this sort should be interjected into the conference.

Debate Became Lively
The debate at one time became so lively that a recess had to be ordered. Mr. Sugimura, the Japanese delegate, said that Japan had a special reason for insisting on the non-intervention clause of the resolution, but if the other delegates were opposed, he would withdraw that part which was found objectionable.

The conference committee which has been considering the opium smoking question, in its report today explained that the illicit movement of opium in Far Eastern territory was so extensive that virtually nothing could be accomplished until the smuggling situation was mastered.

No Consumption Figures
In view of this fact, the commission's committee found that no conclusive figures could be found regarding rates of consumption, but it recommended that the government should furnish all the information at their disposal regarding the number of opium smokers within their jurisdiction.

After declaring in favor of the state monopoly system as the best means for checking consumption, the commission pronounced against the bulk of the opium smokers. It thought the registration was an ideal condition, but it would not work out in crowded districts.

Withdrawal From Wembley Plan
COLOMBO, Ceylon, Nov. 13.—The Government has decided that Ceylon will not participate in the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley in 1925. Ceylon was represented at the exhibition this year.

Stands for Mayoralty



ALD. G. D. CHRISTIE

Russian Troops Reported Joining Feng-Tien Forces

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—Advices to the State Department from Peking report the presence of a battalion of Russian mercenaries, stationed at Manchang, among the 40,000 Feng-Tien troops in the neighborhood of Tientsin.

MAY MEAN CHANGE IN DRY LEGISLATION

JURY'S ACQUITTAL OF ALLEGED OFFENDER ALARMS U.S.

Court Decides That 21 Per Cent Cider Is Not Intoxicating and Can Be Produced Legally

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—The jury verdict of acquittal in the trial of Refractory John F. Hill at Baltimore today "may be the direct cause of a rewriting of the Volstead Act and regulations promulgated thereunder," it was declared in a statement issued tonight by the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment.

"The jury verdict," the statement said, "brought out a fact that Mr. Hill has been trying to bring out for more than two years. Repeated efforts to obtain a ruling from the prohibition officials were in vain, and in every instance were met with evasion. The court ruling established the fact that 27 per cent cider is not intoxicating in law, and can be produced legally by citizens."

Representative Acquitted
BALTIMORE, Nov. 13.—Representative John Philip Hill, of Baltimore, who today was acquitted of charges of violations of the prohibition law by a jury in the federal court, declared after the verdict that he found before Congress and demand modification of the Volstead Act and the passage of his 21 per cent beer bill in its present form discriminates and is unfair.

United States Attorney Woodcock, who conducted the prosecution, refused to comment on the verdict and said the case was ended so far as he was concerned. Other officials of the attorney's office were reported as saying that Judge Roper's ruling on fruit juices did not apply to home brew, which is a product of malt and hops. That is still illegal, it was declared, if it contains more than one-half of one per cent alcohol by volume.

Western Appeal From Railway Board's Order Will Be Heard Today
OTTAWA, Nov. 13.—The Government will hear argument on Thursday in the case of appeal of the governments of the Western Provinces from the decision of the Board of Railway Commissioners in respect to the Crow's Nest Pass freight rates. Premier King announced at the conclusion of the Cabinet meeting today that there has been no action taken on the appeal that the judgment of the Railway Commission should be set aside until after whatever hearing was granted.

Apply Pruning Knife At Fountain Head

ADELPHI, Nov. 13.—The South Australian House of Assembly today carried the proportional representation bill which would reduce the membership of the House from 46 to 35.

Newfoundland's Strike Ending

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Nov. 13.—The longshoremen's strike shows signs of crumbling up and it is believed that most of the truckmen will resume work tomorrow. A joint meeting of truckmen and longshoremen was held this afternoon, and it is understood that the former were against continuance of the struggle. With the sanitary men back at work and the truckmen unwilling to support them, it is unlikely that the longshoremen will prolong the fight alone.

HOLDS FAITH IN LONDON TREATY

German Foreign Minister Delivers Campaign Speech Expressing Optimism Born of Powers' Goodwill

FATHERLAND WELCOMES RECENT CHOICE IN U.S.

Declares Country Has No Intention of Flooding Foreign Markets and Killing Competition by High Tariff

BORTMUND, Germany, Nov. 13.—Approval of the election in the United States of President Coolidge, was freely expressed by Foreign Minister Stresemann in the course of a significant campaign speech before the convention of the German Peoples' Party here today.

The Foreign Minister's utterances constituted a sturdy defence of the policies enacted and pursued by the present Government, especially in connection with the nation's foreign affairs. The speaker left no doubt in the minds of his party colleagues that the principles which he herebefore guided the Government in its conduct of internal and foreign affairs, must be rigidly adhered to. The keynote of his speech was one of optimism born of faith in the good will and sincerity of the signatories of the London agreement.

Germany Welcomes Choice
Discussing the recent election in the United States and American-German relations, Minister Stresemann said: "From a German viewpoint we have every reason to welcome the decision of the American voters. This decision constitutes an unmistakable verdict of approval of the present American Government's policy of cooperation with Germany."

It vouchsafes further cultivation of the policy of amity between our two countries."

The Foreign Minister said he believed the present American policy indicated a conviction in the United States that such co-operation is not purely a German affair but one calculated to serve international economic interests in general.

Treaties With England
Alluding to the various commercial treaty negotiations with England and other countries, Minister Stresemann emphatically denied that Germany would shortly flood foreign countries with German goods and exclude foreign goods from Germany by prohibitive tariffs. He added that Germany regarded her exports as far behind all other countries and Germany's foreign trade as only equivalent to 40 per cent of her pre-war trade.

The Foreign Minister claimed that a recent inspection proved that the Government therefore was justified in expecting and demanding that within a short time control should be taken out of the hands of the inter-allied commission and transferred to the League of Nations. He complained of the apathy shown concerning the League of Nations, Mr. Ruggie, the chief Japanese delegate, today presented a resolution voicing confidence that China loyally would endeavor to stop opium cultivation. The resolution also placed the powers on record as determined to live up to the principles of non-intervention in China's internal affairs.

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DOWNING STREET WAS ALWAYS SYMPATHETIC

Australian Premier Repudiates Sentiments of Sir Auckland Geddes Expressed Recently

WELLINGTON, N.Z., Nov. 13.—Premier W. F. Massey, of New Zealand, does not agree with the statement made by Sir Auckland Geddes, former British Ambassador to Washington, to the effect that it is as often happened when the Dominions have looked toward Great Britain, they have found no sympathetic answer or understanding. The statement in question was made in connection with a lecture in London on Tuesday on the memory of Walter Hume Page, former United States Ambassador to Great Britain.

Premier Massey says his experience has been that the doors of No. 10 Downing Street are never closed in the face of overseas representatives of the Empire, especially when they are at all unanimous regarding what they want. On the contrary, he has always found the representatives of the British Government anxious to meet the Dominions' requests in every way.

Union Solidly Supported By Manitoba Synod

WINNIPEG, Nov. 13.—Church union has received the most solid support of the members of the Manitoba Synod in session here today. The union ninety-one to six. The ministers voted in favor seventy-two, with two against, while nineteen elders supported union with four opposed.

PREMIER OLIVER DEFENDS POLICY

Charges Opposition With Failure to Show Proper Interest in Battle Being Waged for Lower Freight Rates

MUCH CROSS-FIRING ON ABSENTEE VOTES

Denies That Government Had Entered Into Partnership on Construction of Johnson Street Bridge

INDIVIDUALLY and collectively, Hon. John Oliver, Premier of British Columbia, dealt with the Opposition yesterday, when he spoke for three hours in the debate in reply to the speech from the Throne. Vigorous defence was offered to the Government's policy in respect to freight rates, the absentee vote, the irrigation loans policy, agriculture, timber, the Johnson Street Bridge, and a great variety of other subjects.

Premier Oliver first dealt with freight rates, taking Mr. C. P. Davis, Conservative, Cowichan-Newcastle, to task for, he charged, claiming the argument was one between the railroads and their customers. The Premier pointed out that under present rate schedules, export wheat was transported from the Calgary and Edmonton regions to Vancouver at a rate of 22 1/2 cents a hundred pounds, while mill feed, required in dairy districts such as that represented by Mr. Davis, took a rate of 41 1/2 cents. In view of that fact, the Premier asked if Mr. Davis was not interested as a member of Parliament in the freight rates fight.

Mr. Davis rose to say that he had not claimed lack of interest in the agitation.

Rates on Lumber
Speaking about the rates on other commodities, Hon. Mr. Oliver mentioned the charges on lumber and said that lumber carried double the rate from coast to the Prairies that wheat did. He pointed out, too, that lumber was transported on flat cars, whereas wheat was carried in box cars. Premier Oliver asked if Mr. Davis thought there existed any good reason for such discrimination.

"None whatever," was the reply.

"I am glad to know that the member for Cowichan-Newcastle is now willing to change his opinion when he hears the facts."

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COURT APPROVES OF TRUSTEES' AWARD

Amount Payable to Joseph Martin Estate by Bankrupt Fleming Mine Fixed by Order

VANCOUVER, Nov. 13.—Application for approval of a settlement entered into between the trustee in bankruptcy of the Fleming Coal Synop of the bankrupt Fleming mine, was granted in the late Joseph Martin, K.C., was granted in chambers today by Mr. Justice D. A. Macdonald. In the settlement Mr. Martin's estate will receive 34-4/10ths of the \$15,000 settlement, ordinary creditors 4-4/10ths, and Joseph Graham 7-4/10ths.

This property is coal property at Merritt, B.C., and the late Joseph Martin thought highly of it, and had \$100,000 debentures issued to himself and Graham as part of the purchase price when it was sold to them by the Fleming Coal Company. The mine petered out and closed down before the death of Mr. Martin, and afterwards, on petition, declared bankrupt. The trustee in bankruptcy sold the property for \$75,000.

B.C. BOARDS OF TRADE CONVE

Convention Opens at Kamloops and President Macklin Reviews Activities During Year

KAMLOOPS, Nov. 13.—Delegates from the Coast have arrived to attend the British Columbia Associated Boards of Trade Convention which is sitting here today and tomorrow. The visitors were welcomed by acting Mayor Gleave and President Dunbar, of the Board of Trade.

President Macklin, of the Associated Boards, gave an interesting synopsis of the board's activities during the past year, and passed resolutions and credentials committees. The meeting was then adjourned for the arrival of the Okanagan delegates.

First One-Piece Ship Ready for Launching

PROVIDENCE, R.I., Nov. 13.—The first vessel ever built in the United States by the electric welding method was ready today for launching by a local concern. The one-piece vessel is 80 feet long, with 26 feet beam, and the hull is 12 feet deep. The boat will be used by the Pennsylvania Petroleum Products Company in its tanker service.

Huge Toll Taken by Disturbance Which Rocks Isle of Java

Shocks Extending Over Two Days and Many Native Towns in Central Portion of Island of Java Destroyed by Landslides—River Near Kampong Transformed Into Mud Channel

ALL BUILDINGS AT HEALTH RESORT HAVE COLLAPSED

BATAVIA, Java, Nov. 13.—The island of Java has been severely shaken by earthquakes. Already three hundred persons are reported killed and countless numbers are missing. The earth shocks extended over Wednesday and part of today. Many native towns of the Kedu district, a central residential portion of Java, have been destroyed by landslides. Villages disappeared into the river. The shock centered in the health resort of Wonosobo, where all the buildings collapsed.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—A dispatch to The Morning Post from Amsterdam, quoting reports received from Java, says that the river near Kampong has been transformed into a mud channel, in which the bodies of men and animals are lying. Forty-five houses in the Leksno district have disappeared entirely. The whole of Jeshah Badjangan has been engulfed in the Pring River.

Java, in the Malay Archipelago, is the seat of government for the Dutch East Indies. Created by violent seismic convulsions, it is subjected from year to year to similar disturbances, less violent, but sufficient in times past to have destroyed much life and property.

In 1919 the volcano at Kalut erupted and caused many casualties estimated at from 15,000 to 50,000. Besides Kalut there are many active volcanoes in the island, with its 48,000 square miles. Some of these seismic disturbances have been accompanied by heavy floods and landslides.

WOULD NOT FAVOR ABROGATING PACT

AUSTRALIAN REPRESENTATIVE TO WEMBLEY ON COAST

Mass of People in Antipodes Are Satisfied With Canadian Reciprocity, He Contends

VANCOUVER, Nov. 13.—That there is no desire upon the part of Australians as a people to abrogate the trade treaty between that Commonwealth and Canada, but that opposition is coming rather from representatives of manufacturing interests which stand to lose the Australian market in the event of preferential duties being granted to Canadian commodities imported into Australia, is the information coming to foreign traders of the port and to the Board of Trade and the Manufacturers' Association from those in touch with business sentiment in the Antipodes.

Report From Australia
Several days ago a report came from Australia that a strong movement was afoot to kill the treaty with Canada, which was ratified in Australia and is only awaiting endorsement by the Canadian Parliament.

R. B. Orchard, representing the Australian Government in a mission around the world investigating inter-empire trade relations, and who is in Vancouver on his way back to Australia from Wembley, England, has informed a number of local business men that he does not consider the mass of opinion in Australia would consider favorably the abrogation of the reciprocal trade treaty with Canada.

WIVES NEGLECT HOME FOR EUCRE PARTIES

Tenants Crown Attorney States Proponents and Players Would Likely Receive Jail Sentences

TORONTO, Nov. 13.—The police intend to put a stop to eucure parties promoted for gain, and Crown Attorney Armour stated in the police court today that in future he intends to ask for a jail sentence as well as a fine, and that in addition to those who promote such games, those attending will be prosecuted.

For some time the morality officers have been receiving complaints from men that their wives were rarely at home on account of these parties, and that in many cases they take the children with them, leaving them to sleep in the hall while they played.

Edmond D. Morel, Well-Known Writer, Dead

TRINAMOUTH, Eng., Nov. 13.—Edmond D. Morel, Labor member of the House of Commons for Dundee, died here last night. He was a writer and journalist and his work in forming the Congo Reform Association in 1904, largely contributed to the exposure of the Belgian rubber horrors in the Congo and resulted in their cessation. He was recommended this year for the Nobel Peace Prize. He was born in Paris in 1873.

Crow's Nest Company Shuts Down Owing to Insufficient Orders
FERNIE, B.C., Nov. 13.—The Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company, through failure to retrieve sufficient business to operate Coal Creek mines, regret the necessity for their having to inform employees of said mines that Coal Creek mines will be closed down indefinitely. Under the circumstances we advise the employees of the company to try and secure employment elsewhere.

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U.S. Destroyer Injured By Torpedo Fire While Carrying Out Practice

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—The destroyer Paul Hamilton has been forced to return to San Diego as a result of damage sustained during practice off that base. A torpedo fired during the practice was thrown off its course "probably as the result of an explosion of the air flask," a report to the navy department said, and struck the destroyer, straining several of her side plates with the result that a slight leak was caused.

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Japan Rice, lb.	6¢		
Sago and Tapioca, lb.	8¢		
Shredded Wheat, packet	12¢		
Empress Jam, 4-lb. tins	75¢		
Hoisum Spaghetti, 1-lb. packets, 2 for	25¢		
Empress Jelly Powders, pkt. 7¢			
Fresh Chocolate Eclair Biscuits, regular 50¢ lb. for	30¢		
Lean Peameal Back Bacon, Whole or half piece, lb.	33¢		
Pure Lard, lb.	22¢		
Mild Ontario Cheese, lb.	25¢		
Sliced Bologna, lb.	18¢		
Choice Table Butter, 3½ lbs. for	\$1.10		
Lean Peameal Back Bacon, No. 1 King Apples, box	\$1.55		
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Legs Pork, lb.	23¢	Boneless Rolled Roasts, lb.	15¢
		Veal Roasts, lb.	30¢ and 17¢

Fresh Milled Boiling Fowl, lb. 25¢

READS RIOT ACT TO ONTARIO PREMIER

PARTY MEMBER INDICATES REVOLT OVER PLEBISCITE

Accuses Mr. Ferguson of Ignoring Party Members of Legislature, and Predicts Trouble

TORONTO, Nov. 13.—Statements which caused a wild sensation among his hearers and which was considered by some to indicate a revolt against his leader were made by James McCausland, M.P.P., Southwest Toronto, at a meeting of the Conservative Club here last night when he was discussing the result of the recent plebiscite on the Ontario Temperance Act.

Mr. McCausland declared Premier Ferguson had practically ignored the opinion of the Conservative members of the Legislature when the result of the plebiscite was made known and predicted trouble for the Premier if he ignored the large number of his Toronto supporters.

"The Premier said he would keep his word to the people—he kept his word, not to the people, but to T. Albert Moore."

At a later stage, Mr. McCausland said: "I will resign my seat if Mr. Ferguson desires it, and I will run as an Independent Conservative. The province will continue to exist even if Mr. Ferguson is not Premier."

MONTREAL POLICE HELP AT HOLD-UP

VICTIM RELATES INCIDENT TO INQUIRY COMMISSION

Motor Mechanic Assaulted Because His Pockets Were Empty and Then Arrested by Assassins

MONTREAL, Nov. 13.—That two constables and a civilian held him up at a lonely corner, went through his pockets, and finding he had no money, severely "beat him up" and took him to the police station where they charged him with assaulting them, was stated at the local police inquiry this morning by Honore Demers, chief mechanic at a local automobile plant.

Mr. Demers said he had been stopped at the corner of a lane in which his garage was situated, searched and beaten by the three men, who, finding that he had no money with him, demanded the key to his garage. He told them, he testified, that it was at home, where upon they took him to his house for it. He tried to prevent their entering by threatening them.

Conducted to Station
He pointed a shotgun at them, but they jumped him, and after beating him violently, conducted him to the station.

Several members of the Demers family corroborated his description of being beaten in the house.
The victim had finally been induced to pay for damage, one of the police said had been done to his coat, in consideration of the charge against him being reduced to one of "simple assault." Instead of "assaulting a constable with firearms."

Demers said that the name of the civilian was Therrien and the other two men were Constables Dupuis and Gagnon, both attached to No. 15 police station.

The "arrangement" by which he settled the affair was made on the advice of his lawyer, who told him he had better pay a certain sum and let the affair drop.

LLOYD GEORGE DENIES "STUPID INVENTION"

Contradicts Wickham Stead's Report of Alleged Secret During Versailles Peace Conference

LONDON, Nov. 13.—Publication of a book written by Lloyd George, former editor of The Times, entitled "Through Thirty Years," today brought from Lloyd George a strong denial of a passage in the volume which related that during the peace conference at Versailles, Premier Clemenceau of France "accused Lloyd George of falsifying his account of the statements that Lloyd George made when he was with the British and demanded an apology, and after President Wilson had separated them, Clemenceau offered Lloyd George reparations with pistols or swords."

The former British Premier characterized the Stead account today as a "stupid invention" which contains not the slightest basis of truth.

"His Majesty Cyril I" Of Russia to Convoke Crown Council in Paris

PARIS, Nov. 13.—His Majesty, Cyril I, Emperor of Russia, has decided, according to a Russian newspaper published in Paris, to convoke a crown council at which all the Grand Dukes who have recognized him, will be present. Grand Duke Dmitri has been appointed "His Majesty's representative in Paris" with two councillors, one for military affairs and the other for civil affairs.

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Oddities in the News

A New Discovery—Prehistoric Ladies Who Used Rouge—The Weather on Mars—Mary Garden's Beauty Secret

NEW YORK.—Mary Garden, who arrived Tuesday night after a summer vacation abroad, returned weighing seventeen pounds less than she weighed on her departure six months ago. She said she now weighs 112 pounds.

Monte Carlo was the scene of Miss Garden's weight reduction. She said it was due to swimming in the cold waters of the Mediterranean and sunbathing from the deck of her motorboat.

"My friends will be surprised when they see me in Paris with the waist of a waif," she said. She will leave before the end of the week for Chicago for the opera season.

Explaining how she banished the seventeen pounds, Miss Garden said she went in her motorboat two miles off shore, got out of her bathing suit, stretched herself on the deck and "let the sun do its worst."

CHICAGO.—Women of the world's "first civilization" had equal rights, used rouge, beaded their eyelashes and carried vanity cases.

This was the word brought to the Field Museum here today from the dusty past of 5,000 to 7,000 years ago by Field Museum-Oxford University explorers with the Mesopotamian expedition at Kish, known as the oldest city of importance in the world.

Only in the mode of hair dressing did the women "Sumerians" differ from the much-touted American "flapper." Bobbed hair was not the vogue, but elaborate hairpins and other trinkets for adornment of elaborate coiffures were generally worn.

The fact Sumerian laws recognized the equality of women is deduced by explorers from the discovery of cylinder seals used for legal and property transactions in the tombs of women.

Each woman's grave also revealed artistically worked carnelian sheila containing red, green and black pigments—the lipstick, rouge and eyebrow pencil of the period.

BOSTON.—Mars has a temperature not unlike the earth, except a little cooler. The sun shines brightly.

These intimate facts about Mars were learned in measurements made at Flagstaff, last summer when Mars was nearest the earth, and were presented at the opening session of the National Academy of Science here.

Mars appears to have greater variation in temperature than earth. Along the equator of Mars the temperature ranges from 45 to 60 degrees, while at the poles it is far below zero.

But whether Mars is inhabited is still a question.

EX-CROWN PRINCE NOT SEEKING WORK

Reports of Adoption of Honest Calling to Earn Livelihood Are Contradicted

OSLER, Germany, Nov. 13.—It was just a year ago today that former Crown Prince Frederick William crossed the Dutch frontier into Germany, and tomorrow will mark the first anniversary of his reunion with his family there.

The year has been an eventful one in Germany's efforts at reconstruction, and the politicians have made many attempts to enlist the returned exile in party activities, but apparently without success. The former Crown Prince, who, under the laws of the republic, bears the title of Prince of Prussia, has kept his word that he would live as a private citizen if permitted to return from the muddy little island in the Zuyder Zee where he passed five lonely years with only a few peasants and two old servants as companions.

Many rumors have been circulated as to his probable adoption of some calling aside from his work as gentleman farmer on his estate, but these have all been denied. The eldest son has entered the office of a large exporting house in Hamburg, and is apparently destined for a business career. The Princess Cecilie has a small villa at Potsdam, where she remains with her children during the school season.

BRITISH ELECTIONS NOW COMPLETED

Scottish Universities Return One Liberal and Two Conservatives—Mr. Baldwin's Majority 209

LONDON, Nov. 13.—With the declaration today of the election to Parliament of the members for the combined Scottish Universities—St. Andrews, Glasgow, Aberdeen and Edinburgh—resulting in the choice of one Liberal and two Conservatives, the final standing of the parties in the House of Commons in the new Parliament will be as follows:

Conservatives, 412; Labor, 152; Liberals, 42; Constitutionalists, 3; others, 6. Total 615.

The vote in the universities was: Sir Henry Craik, 2,129; D. C. Cowan (Lib.), 5,010; Sir George Barry (Con.), 3,187; J. H. Munro (Labor), 1,818.

The election was on proportional representation and a recount is taking place to determine whether Sir George Barry or J. H. Munro was elected for third place.

Stevenson's Cottage Sold
NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—Robert Louis Stevenson's cottage at Saranac Lake, N.Y., where he wrote "The Master of Ballantrae," "Christmas Sermon," and other works, today passed into the hands of Colonel Walter Scott, president of the Stevenson Society of America. The purchase price was \$17,500. The largest part of the purchase price, it is expected, will be raised by subscription or from membership in the society.

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EMMA GOLDMAN TELLS OF HER DISILLUSIONMENT

"To Call Present Government Workers' Experiment Is Preposterous Lie," She Declares

LONDON, Nov. 13.—Emma Goldman, who was deported from the United States in 1919, as an undesirable alien and now seeks asylum in England, was welcomed by three hundred Britons to their country at a dinner given in her honor last night. Miss Goldman spent a considerable part of her exile in Russia, and last night she eloquently excoriated Russia's Soviet Government.

The oppressed masses in Russia, she said, were being silenced as they never were under the Czar, and all ideals had been discredited by the ruling forces in that country. Bolshevism she characterized as an international disease, and she promised to fight hereafter, wherever she might be, for the principles of liberty, which were the most essential things in human life.

"Most Preposterous Lie"
"To call the present Soviet Government a workers' experiment is the most preposterous lie ever told," Miss Goldman told her audience.

"The party in power has emasculated the revolution; it is slowly undermining all that is best in Russia. 'The time has come when silence on the Russian situation makes you a party to the crimes which are being committed in the republic of Georgia by Bolsheviks during the past year, according to an interview with Prince David Mirvald of that nation, printed today by The Houston Post-Dispatch. 'Determined to force the state, of such strategic and economic value, into submission to its rule, Prince David said, the Red government is resorting to methods of cold-blooded butchery. The Prince was forced to build things up."

ALLEGES BUTCHERIES BY SOVIET FORCES

Prince David, of Georgia, Declares Shipload of Natives Taken to Sea and Sunk With All Hands

HOUSTON, Tex., Nov. 13.—Atrocities which will amaze the world when made known have been committed in the republic of Georgia by Bolsheviks during the past year, according to an interview with Prince David Mirvald of that nation, printed today by The Houston Post-Dispatch. 'Determined to force the state, of such strategic and economic value, into submission to its rule, Prince David said, the Red government is resorting to methods of cold-blooded butchery. The Prince was forced to build things up."

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ties from his native land because of threats on his life. Since 1919 he said there had been at least 20,000 Georgians slaughtered without trial. A shipload of natives was taken out on the Caspian Sea, and the vessel sunk, with none rescued. Others were called to their doors and shot down. Vigorous censorship prevents the news being sent abroad.

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Victoria's faith in Victoria's future was instanced in striking manner yesterday when a group of pioneer merchants, with life-long records of association with the business life of the community, were granted incorporation at the Parliament Buildings as the Weiler Furniture Company, Limited, with a capital of 100,000.

Behind the new company are such men as Mr. Otto Weiler, present head of a family for half a century leading furniture makers and merchants here; Mr. A. J. Kirkpatrick, seventeen years with the old Weiler company, and later founder and for ten years owner of the Victoria Furniture Company; and Mr. Robert Hurst, secretary of the first Weiler organization for a long term of years. In the new enterprise Mr. Weiler is president, Mr. Kirkpatrick vice-president, and Mr. Hurst manager and secretary-treasurer.

Sold Out Before War
The original Weiler firm went out of existence just before the war, when the business was sold to Cassidy's, Limited, of Montreal. The new owners operated the store under its old name until two months ago, when they decided to withdraw from the retail field and sell their local stock for \$250,000 to David Spencer's, Limited. The building, as it had been during its tenancy by the Montreal company, remained in the possession of the Weiler family.

The opportunity presented by their empty five-story structure was too attractive to be resisted by men whose experience in Victoria had taught them faith in the city. Mr. Kirkpatrick said last night:

"Victoria," said Mr. Kirkpatrick, "is one of the finest business cities on the whole Pacific Coast. There is more money per capita in Victoria than in any other city in the Dominion of Canada. There is plenty of business to be done here, and we are confident that we shall do a big share of it. I know we can recapture all our old customers."

It had been a mistake to sell out to Cassidy's, Mr. Kirkpatrick said, recalling that in the old days before the war the firm had done a monthly business of \$50,000 or \$60,000. That business was still here, he said, and the new company was going to get it. There was plenty of room in Victoria for three big corporations of the same name.

Opens Next Month

It is the intention of the partners to have the store open for business by December 15 in order to get a share of the Christmas buying. Workmen are already engaged on the premises, tearing out the old shelves and remodeling the interior. Extensive alterations will be carried out before the doors are opened to the public. Further changes that will require more time will be made after the Christmas rush is over. One such difference will be the doorways, of which two at present open on Government Street. The corner doorway will be retained, but the other will be removed and a fine, large show window installed in its place.

The building itself is a big structure, five stories in height, covering half a city block and fronting on three streets. In addition to the company's retail operations it will house a plant where the manufacture of upholstery will be carried on by the firm.

ABSENTEE VOTE IS AGAIN UNDER FIRE

Mr. John A. Catherwood, Dewdney Member, Urges Amendment to Elections Act

The absentee vote, as now allowed, is not in the interest of clean elections and opens the way for very grave irregularities and should be struck out of the Elections Act, was the claim of John Catherwood, Conservative member for Dewdney, in speaking in the debate in the Legislature yesterday. Mr. Catherwood claimed that the King's Speech was noteworthy by its absence of anything of importance, and contended that the Government fell down on its job when it failed to mention anything about beer.

Turning to matters which especially affect his own ride, Mr. Catherwood stated that there was a lack of cohesion between the Provincial and Federal governments in respect to river bank protection on the Fraser River. Some work, he admitted, had been done during the past year, but he pointed out that the Provincial authorities had failed to carry on the job when it failed to raise the height of the dykes to a position where the farmers could feel reasonably safe from flooding. As matters now stood, the ranchers were burdened with taxes and could not see a way out of their difficulty, especially in view of the danger which existed each year when the Spring freshet was on.

Dewdney Wants Roads
In connection with the road problem, Mr. Catherwood gave the Government credit for what it had done in the eastern part of his riding, and he hoped that the work of extending to the Dewdney Trunk Road would continue until Agassiz was reached. Mr. Catherwood made an appeal for assistance in the opening up of settlers' roads and agreed with the member for Creston that greater consideration should be given to this project. As for the transprovincial highway, Dewdney's member came out flatfooted in favor of the work being done in that year, now that the Government was committed to the scheme. To issue bonds for the building of the road in one or more units, but within one year, would not cost any more than if the work was extended over several years.

Returning Home From Wembley
LONDON, Nov. 13.—The Canadians who did police duty at the British Empire Exposition at Wembley will sail for Canada on the Montrose tomorrow. A large number of railway officials who were on duty at Wembley will also sail on the Montrose, as well as many New Zealand and Australian representatives who are returning home from the big exhibition by way of Canada.

The Session

The Barbers' Profession—
What the Great War Was
Like—Premier Unlimbers
Heavy Batteries—A Doughty
Debater—The House Dorcas
Circle

The Press Gallery, Thursday.
Parliamentary humorists—and the House is not deficient in the saving grace—sat up right merrily today and took due notice of rich potential opportunities to come, when Captain Mackenzie, fourth member for Vancouver City, introduced a bill to incorporate the barbers of the province. It is credibly rumored in the lobby that several honorable members have recently given up the habit of a life, and have taken to home shaving with safety razors. It is also whispered that other honorable members, less prescient of the horrors to come, have given definite undertakings, while they were being shaved in Capital City barber shops, by the old system of the relentless "razor's edge invisible," that they would support the bill.

Capt. Mackenzie started something else today, when he spoke to his resolution demanding curtailment of the Senate's powers in matters affecting legislation for returned soldiers. He was soon evident that the saving grace of humor would be needed badly if a deadly clash between soldier members in opposite political camps were to be averted. Conservative soldier members accused the Vancouver member of importing politics into veterans' affairs. Captain Mackenzie denied the charge, and returns it against his opponents. The House had a glimpse of what the Great War was really like. Colonel Cy. Heck, V.C., who has an amendment to move which, while omitting all reference to the Senate, asks for radical reorganization of the Pensions Board and Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, pleaded that "a cause which is sacred to me, Mr. Speaker, shall not be dragged through the mire of Major Richard Burde, M.C., who adjourned the debate as a seceder of the resolution, intervened to hope that 'this thing will not get ten honest-to-goodness soldiers by the ears,' and he told a story of the first battle of the Somme which was highly complimentary to Brig.-Gen. Victor Bullard, an ardent soldier member for Vancouver City. There are ten soldier members in the House, and they are all expected to enliven the debate. The Premier, in getting through the session well before Christmas were made entirely without prejudice to the possibilities of this debate.

The debate on the Address is nearly done. The big gun of the Government forces was in action today for the first time. Mr. Oliver, who opened at 2 o'clock with an intimation that he would speak until 6, re-entered at 5, and sat down after the hour of speech. He was in good form. Starting with the first speech for the Opposition, that of Mr. C. F. Davis, of Cowichan-Newcastle, he dealt seriously with each critic of the Government in succession. He passed over one speech altogether, on the grounds that he had not heard a word of it, and referred to Captain (Rev.) Joshua Hinchliffe, second member for Victoria, as the "reverend lawyer," and he said the speech of the honorable gentleman was "volley, unctuous, sanctimonious and suggestive," and that it had done nothing but sow the seeds of suspicion. The Premier betrayed a marked sensitiveness to criticism from Victoria members. He called Mr. Twigg the "brilliant orator," and he found much fault with Major Reginald Hayward's contribution to the question of the Government's dealings with municipalities. Disclaiming any desire to punish the Capital City for rejecting himself at the polls, he said he could imagine no worse punishment than Victoria had inflicted upon herself. "It rangles, all the same," he ranted, "observed the member for Mary Todd Island."

The member for Mary Todd Island, who, owing to nothing, concerning the human equation in the House, enunciated a new theory about the Premier today, a red poppy in his coat, he seemed to defy the years. His hair is silvered, but it is still abundant and vigorous, and it surmounts his forehead in a tuft which seems to challenge all the powers of darkness which he professes to find on the Opposition benches. He stands very stocky, very square, very deep-breathed, and he neither asks quarter nor gives it. He uses no flowery magnificence in debate—he and Mr. Bower never wasted any of that divine quality on each other. When he was accused of evading the point he took it as a high compliment, and he retorted that it was the business of a skilful swordsman to evade the point. He enjoyed a deep and rich chuckle over his own repartee.

However, it may be as to this theory of the member for Mary Todd Island, the Premier is still doughty in debate. As he held the floor for three hours today, a red poppy in his coat, he seemed to defy the years. His hair is silvered, but it is still abundant and vigorous, and it surmounts his forehead in a tuft which seems to challenge all the powers of darkness which he professes to find on the Opposition benches. He stands very stocky, very square, very deep-breathed, and he neither asks quarter nor gives it. He uses no flowery magnificence in debate—he and Mr. Bower never wasted any of that divine quality on each other. When he was accused of evading the point he took it as a high compliment, and he retorted that it was the business of a skilful swordsman to evade the point. He enjoyed a deep and rich chuckle over his own repartee.

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said the Premier, when he was heckled from the Opposition benches, "but I think I may say I come as near to it as any member of this House." "He doesn't hate himself any more than ever," said the member for Mary Todd Island, "but that is mighty true, all the same. He is quiver within about everything, and he always gets an answer satisfactory to himself. Oh, yes, you've got to mind your p's and q's when you tackle the Premier on his resignation. He takes a mighty lot of pinning down."

Two themes, somewhat adumbrated in the previous speeches of his critics, constantly recurred in the reply of the Premier, and became, indeed, the motif of his composition. One of these was freight rates, the other the absentee vote. As to the first, the Premier saw in the results of his activities on that question the promise of better days for the Province. The

absentee vote, on the other hand, was a subject in which the First Minister found all the material for those dark whispers of death which he professed to hear rising as a chorus of gloom from the opposite benches. He was vigorous in his defence of the absentee vote, so vigorous, in fact, that for the first time in his speech, the unofficial Ladies' circle of fair visitors to the Galleries laid aside its knitting, too absorbed in the warmth of the Premier's defence, to manage with its customary dexterity the twofold task at once of listening-in at affairs of state and of making good the domestic hearth.

Victor of Kaiser's Son Engaged

BERLIN, Nov. 13.—The engagement is announced of Princess Joachim of Prussia, widow of the former Kaiser's youngest son, to Herr Bienenr, a Saxon landowner.

Suffocated by Charcoal Heaters
MISSOULA, Mont., Nov. 13.—Believed to have been asphyxiated by carbon monoxide gas from charcoal heaters, W. C. Scherer, of Dubois, Idaho, and S. R. Conrad, of Butte, Mont., were found dead in a refrigerator car in the Northern Pacific yards here today. William Davis, aged 19, and H. Harrison, 31, both of Casper, Wyo., were overcome by the gas, but were revived and are expected to live.

Manitoba Municipalities Protest
BRANFORD, Nov. 13.—The Union of Manitoba Municipalities will make a vigorous protest to Ottawa in connection with the suspension of the Crow's Nest Pass agreement. A strong resolution was passed at the convention today asking for the restoration, "as it is robbing the producers of the Prairie Provinces of millions of dollars."

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THE TAXATION BURDEN

Mr. R. H. Pooley, the leader of the Opposition in the Provincial Legislature, has brought the attention of the Government and the House to many matters of high moment to the future of British Columbia. He has done well to emphasize the intolerable burden of taxation to which this Province is subjected. That is our chief handicap to development. The policy of the Conservatives is built up on the foundation stone of reduced taxation. Mr. Pooley is not confined himself to attacking the party in power. He has asked specifically for certain things which both the Conservatives and the vast majority of the people of the Province believe to be necessary to progress.

The Opposition leader points to a fact that there is no gainsaying, namely, that prosperity does not exist in British Columbia to the extent that it should. To foster its development he advocates reduced taxation of the basic industries, such as agriculture, mining and lumbering. This is a plea that should be pressed forward until there is redress. The incubus of taxation has taken the heart out of industrial development. The Conservative policy is to restore hope and create optimism about the future by introducing alleviations that will prevent the burden of taxation from weighing too heavily on any section of the people. That is the tenor of Mr. Pooley's claims on behalf of his party.

SESSIONAL INDEMNITIES

During the course of his contribution to the Debate on the Address Mr. Reginald Hayward, member for Victoria, brought up a subject which continues to rankle prominently in the public mind. He advocated a reduction in sessional indemnities to the old scale. Now the payment is \$2,000 per member with a session lasting some six weeks. The old scale was \$1,600. The public are persuaded that members of the Legislature are over-paid for the work they do, and Mr. Hayward has sounded a popular note in advocating a reduction in indemnities. In the matter of Ministers, he expresses the belief that the sessional indemnity might well be dispensed with altogether, inasmuch as these Ministers each enjoy an income from the Province of \$7,500 per annum, which, as Mr. Hayward expresses it, is "a fair living indemnity."

Obviously the bona fides of the Government in the matter of putting economies into effect will be gauged from the extent to which retrenchment is practised from the top downwards. There is nothing unalterable in sessional indemnities and in Cabinet Ministers' salaries. Jointly and independently, they constitute an apparent vantage ground on which to commence a practice of economy that will relieve the burden of taxation in British Columbia. What the Legislature did of its own volition and what was subsequently found to meet with popular disfavor can be undone by that Legislature. Mr. Hayward is on sound ground in having brought the matter forward. He should press it to its logical conclusion, so far as it is possible for a private member to press the matter, and secure an expression of opinion from the Legislature. There are ways and means whereby this can be done even though public expenditures are involved.

GERMAN ELECTIONS

The outcome of the forthcoming elections in Germany seems very problematical. There are those who believe that the result will prove a complete vindication for the Dawes plan respecting reparations, but others foresee the set of a tide of public opinion that will give a reverse finding. One feature of the election is the utterances of those who have hitherto been regarded as among Germany's most moderate politicians. An instance is the statement made by the Democratic Reichswehr Minister, Herr Gessler, who has been discussing the chances of raising the strength of the Reichswehr to a figure "once more in keeping with Germany's status and geographical position." This may be a bid of the moderates for the Nationalist vote; it, at least, indicates the strengthening of public opinion in the country on the question of an increase in the national defence force. Throughout the election campaign the warlike note is sounded in the speeches of the various reactionary bourgeois parties. There is constant complaint about the abolition of conscription. Again the question has been raised of enforcing a compulsory year's labor which is regarded as a valued form of universal service. Many speakers are heartily agreed on the preservation of the Reichswehr as "the only repository of military

skill and warlike virtue in the German people." Herr Gessler, who is quoted above, has reached the determination to retire from party politics and to devote himself to the office of Minister of Defence. This would constitute a return to the pre-war system of Ministers not responsible to Parliament and would be considered a reactionary step. The report that the Nationalists have invited the former Crown Prince to stand as a candidate for the Reichstag is denied, and, indeed, he could not stand so long as he observes his undertaking to refrain from political activities. This was the condition upon which he was allowed to return to Germany.

Perhaps the election outcome will leave the state of German parties pretty much as they are today. There is not any particular indication of the Nationalists increasing their strength. What there is a likelihood of is the more moderate elements adopting some of the Nationalist policies. The next government will, like the present, be of the composite variety, a government of compromise endeavoring to meet a share of the diversified wishes of the great bulk of the parties. German political thought is still chaotic. It has not settled down into definite channels since the deposition of the Emperor and the experiment of a republic. The people for the time being have lost their cohesive strength in matters political and it will take some great issue, such as failure or success of republicanism in a crisis, to cement divergent viewpoints and consolidate anew Germany's place in Europe and the world.

CHURCH UNION ISSUE

So far as we understand the Church Union issue, it has been resolved into a question of self-determination. It was so resolved by the Dominion Act of July 19 last. Under this Parliament removed the determination of the Church Union question from the church courts and placed it in the hands of the people. Through that legislation groups of 10, 25, 50 or 100 in any congregation, according to its size, can demand a vote. Parliament decided that the vote should be by ballot, leaving each congregation to decide the form of the ballot, the manner of taking the vote and the time for voting. It is, moreover, provided that nothing in the Act is to prevent the non-concurring congregations from constituting themselves a Presbyterian, a Methodist or a Congregational Church.

This legislation, at least, provides one way of assuaging the dissensions that have arisen between Union and non-Union advocates. It was intended, no doubt, to compose differences and it would be well if, in the cause of religion as a whole, all the members of the Churches involved and those who are supporting Church Union would follow out both the spirit and the letter of the Federal legislation.

Communitarian methods, it must be admitted, have had a fair, even a savagely fair trial under the Soviet regime in Russia. They have failed, so far as it was believed that they would establish economic bliss. The economic ruin of the country has been accomplished. Of this The London Daily Telegraph says: "Russia, which was once a great exporting country, is no longer so. Production has fallen off under the Socialistic blight. This year she will not have sufficient wheat for the needs of her own population, and famine is foretold in many districts. As one of the directors of the Co-operative Wholesale Society recently admitted, 'there is not sufficient wheat in Russia to feed the home population.' The nationalization of production, Trotsky has confessed, 'has been a failure.' That is true not merely of agriculture, but of every branch of industry. Russia, which ten years ago was one of the wealthiest States in the world, commanding capital as it required it for the development of its fabulous resources, has been reduced to economic ruin."

Commenting on the result of the presidential election in the United States, Le Canada says: "Just as was the case recently in England, the Anglo-Saxon people of the United States have let it be categorically understood that they do not in any sense subscribe to the policy of multiple parties. The United States, like England, wished to keep the two-party system, a system fundamental to the progress of a country, and which cannot be forsaken without the risk of grave dangers. We had the example in England of a case in which the advent of a third party to power had the most dire consequences. There is, in the results of the American presidential elections, an example to Canada. Our country will learn from them that it is better to keep the two-party system than to launch out into dangerous adventure of multiplying political groups."

Whoever it was that fathered the absentee vote provision of the Elections Act of this Province should have the good grace to admit that it has not met with popular favor, and, therefore, should be removed from the statute books. It proved of considerable advantage to the Liberal cause in the late election, but even the exigencies of party political strife should not be allowed to interfere with the subject of the ballot. The absentee vote as taken in British Columbia is an anachronism. It should be abandoned.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

"Thinking with intense concentration actually makes the brain grow at any age." That is what we are told by one of the sages of the United States, press. The proof: Mr. Lloyd George's head has increased in size by a quarter of an inch since the year 1903. But is it not possible that Mr. Lloyd George's head has gone back to normal again after the experiences of the last couple of years?

Here is another interesting dogmatic statement from the same authority: "There is no such thing as overwork; there is a brain properly developed." If that is the case, we wonder why it is that so many men in these latter days are resorting to the golf links in the hope of finding relief from their wearied brains. Is this great multitude really trying to play that exasperating game (or whatever it may be) because it likes it? All we can say on the subject is that we wish we were constituted like the man with the properly developed brain who cannot be overworked. And there are hundreds, just like us. A little nonsense now and then is all very well, but we never try to delude readers of the newspapers ourselves, and we object to others doing it. There are limits to human endurance, and there are also bounds to the size of the brain of any man. At the same time we have met not a few individuals whose heads are swollen to an offensive degree. Some of the heads we have met might even fairly be described as bloated.

A statistician at Washington announces that marriages in the United States as compared with divorces are decreasing. If that is the case, and the deplorable tendency continues, a time must come when there will be no married people at all in that great country. Therefore we need not wonder when we read that many of the ministers of grace in the United States are deploring the tendencies of the times and wondering what the people are coming or going to. If it is a fact that the family is the foundation of the state, what will happen to the state when there are no families left to found itself upon?

Is the prospect pleasing to those residents of Canada who can foresee no adequate future for their country save in fusion with the republic? However, it is fair to say that possibly the condition is somewhat exaggerated. There are still more families in the true sense of the term in the United States than in any other country in the world. Enforcement of the quota system may establish the foundations of the state more strongly than ever.

The United States is the home of the airplane. The first flying machine of the heavier than air type was invented, built and flown by an American. But the United States was not the first country to adapt the airplane to the business of transporting passengers. Few passengers are carried by airplanes in the United States at the present time, while thousands of them have been carried between various European countries. Regular and reliable services have been established between Great Britain and France.

We wonder why our enterprising neighbors loiter along this new road and let so many other people beat them over it. A Californian, noting these facts, became impatient, and decided to apply a very effective test. He wanted to make a quick trip to the East. He bought about eight hundred dollars' worth of postage stamps and plastered himself with them. Then he went to the nearest post office and posted himself. He claimed that he had purchased a passage via the aerial mail route, and that the United States postal service was morally and legally bound to carry out its part of the contract. The postal service repudiated the contract, and refused to deliver the human parcel. The test failed.

We warn our enterprising American neighbors, and friends that they may be beaten in another department of the transportation business if they do not watch out. A British Authority who is not a radical authority wants the Government to take over all departments of transportation in the country and operate them in connection with the post office department, which of course is already a part of the Government service. This authority says that if a business man or any other man wants to transport anything from a pin to a piano, from a pen to a motor car, from one part of the kingdom to another part of it, all that he should be required to do is buy a postage stamp, stick it on the article to be transported, and call upon the proper authorities to do the rest. The authority further avers that his plan is quite feasible, and that if the Conservative Government does not adopt it, a Labor Government will soon come in and adopt it.

That is a startling proposal, but many equally startling proposals have been made of late years, and we are not going to permit ourselves to be further startled by any further proposals, even if they should prove staggering.

The feminist movement in Great Britain has not received such a staggering blow after all. It is true that but two women were elected to Parliament, but one of those women has been called into the councils of the nation, and seven women have been made mayors of as many cities and

towns. Most men who have had practical experience know very well that the women cannot be kept permanently out of their rights.

Canada's Story Day

By BLOWEN DAVIES

NOVEMBER 14
On this day in 1775, Arnold, one of the American leaders in the invasion, attempted to make an entrance into the city of Quebec. He had followed Wolfe's plan of landing his troops at Wolfe's Cove by night and attacking in the morning, but unlike Wolfe, he failed utterly. Arnold was a druggist of New Haven, Conn., and commanded the campaign by way of Lake Champlain. He was defeated in several other engagements and was eventually driven out of Quebec. Later on, during the Revolution, he was in command of the defence at Philadelphia, and taking offence at some fancied slight put upon him by Congress, he abandoned his new army and fled to the British. Thereafter he attached himself again to the British and from the British lines he commanded the band of refugees against the Americans. At the close of the Revolution he settled for some time in the West Indies, and finally made his way to London, where, when Dr. Arnold became aware of the benefits bestowed upon the Loyalists who fought for the King of Canada after the Revolution, he had the audacity to lay claim to some of the lands which Canada was dividing among her new and welcome citizens. Residence was required under the regulations, but so obnoxious was Arnold to the Loyalists that that condition was waived. He actually obtained for himself and his family a tract of 14,000 acres.

Today, November 14
Is the Anniversary of:

Birth of Benjamin Hoadly, Bishop of Bangor, originator of the famous Bangor movement concerning church and state rights; Waterham, Kent, 1678.
Birth of Adam Gottlob Oehlenschlaeger, one of the greatest Danish poets; Copenhagen, 1779.
Birth of Sir Charles Lyell, the eminent geologist; Kinnordy, Forfarshire, 1797.
Birth of John C. Wren, founder of the Tonic Sol-Fa music system; Heckmondwike, Yorkshire, 1816.
Death of Gottfried Wilhelm Leibniz, distinguished as philosopher, mathematician and man of affairs; Hanover, 1716.
Death of George William Frederick Hegel, the great German philosopher; Berlin, 1831.
Death of Thomas Bruce, Earl of Elgin, of Elgin Marbles fame; Paris, 1843.
Death of Earl Roberts, Britain's much-loved general; 1914.

3-Minute Journeys
By TEMPLE MANNING

Where a Northern City is Built Like

Stockholm, the capital of Sweden, is a city built upon a group of small islands in the mouth of a small river, the Lake Maelar with the Baltic Sea.

The name means "Island in a sound," and its curious structure has caused it to be called the "Venice of the North." The islands are connected by many historic bridges which span the river and the numerous canals. Some of these date back to the fifteenth century by the great Swedish King, Gustavus Vasa, who also constructed the canal system of Sweden.

A tourist on a visit to this place is immediately impressed by the splendid quays, the white, the river banks and which are used as stations for loading and unloading passengers, from the small steam launches and ships the city is surrounded by the lakes and rivers that beautiful and rugged country. Fishing smacks lying at anchor in midstream, and small sailing vessels carrying passengers on sight-seeing tours from one small town to another, are common sights.

To take a trip on one of these tiny excursion boats is an interesting experience. From the deck of the boat may be seen attractively garbed figures, dressed in the quaint costumes, which they have retained through the centuries, passing in front of the open squares or walking through the beautiful parks. The Swedish King, Gustavus Vasa, who also constructed the canal system of Sweden.

Stockholm is famous for its wonderful architecture and further up the lake one sees many fine sites and remains. At Vastervik there is an old fortress or citadel, which is an excellent example of Gothic architecture. On the way up the lake, numerous museums and churches are passed. One church in particular is of special interest, the cathedral, a masterpiece of design, and has a spire which reaches three hundred feet into the sky. All the Swedish kings, since the time of Gustavus Adolphus, up until the present day, have been buried beneath it. The museum contains historical relics of past ages and never fails to be of interest to the traveler.

To the north of Stockholm is the famous town of Upsala. This small town is noted for its fine cathedrals, and contains one of the largest universities in Sweden. It is distinctly a college town, and on graduation day there is much excitement. The narrow streets are thronged with students, and with their white caps and black frocks, present a striking picture.

THE GARDEN IN NOVEMBER
The lawn is a tattered carpet.
Shabby of warp and woof,
The grey, November heaven
Is a sadly leaking roof.
The trees, beneath their glory,
Are weary and worn and old—
Like miners,
Bent and hoary,
Climbling in crooked fingers
The last of their well-loved gold.
—Dixie.

Congress Features "Days"
WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—Analyzing the results of the election from a "wet" and "dry" point, Wayne Wheeler, general counsel of the Anti-Saloon League, today declared 220 of 432 members of the House endorsed by the "dry" had been successful.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except on the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

Municipal Elections
Sir,—In your issue of today's date you announce that I have been selected by ex-service men of this city to offer myself as a candidate in the forthcoming municipal elections. I would like to mention that this statement is a little premature, although it is true I have been asked to stand for school trustee. No decision has been made by the ex-service men's joint council at present, however, a decision is likely to be made on Monday next, when the council meets again.

W. G. STONE,
1129 Empress Avenue, Victoria, B.C., Nov. 13, 1924.

British Income Tax Refunds
Sir,—It does not appear to be generally known that claims for refund of British income tax deducted from dividends, interest, rents, etc., received from the Old Country can now be made for the whole period since April 5, 1920.

Formerly claims for recovery of tax were limited to three years. Now, however, under the Finance Act, 1922, this time limit has been extended to six years, but not so as to affect any years previous to 1920.

I might also point out that it makes no difference whether the income in question is derived from trustees in Great Britain, as in all cases a refund can be claimed.

I have gone into the matter very fully with the Inland Revenue lately, and if any of your readers are not aware of what claims can be preferred, and will be glad to help me at 13 Buckingham Palace Gardens, London, S.W., I shall be happy to advise them.

WILFRED T. FRY,
13 Buckingham Palace Gardens, London S.W., Oct. 25, 1924.

Industrial Development
Sir,—Following up the remarks of Mr. Shanks under the caption of "Industrial Development" in your issue of the 7th inst., in which mention is made of the woolen industry as I was the candidate mentioned who, at the Victoria West meeting, brought forward the proposal of a woolen mill, I would like to point out how Victoria lost the greatest opportunity it ever had of having a large textile industry established within its limits. In 1921, a friend of mine, one of the largest woolen manufacturers of Great Britain, came to Victoria to investigate with a view to selecting this city as a desirable place to move his plant to and go into business. He found the climatic conditions and the water favorable for spinning fine counts, although he had doubts as to the residents desiring such an industry as this. However, after a two and a half years' correspondence, I received from him, on the eve of the last election, a proposal that I should come out on an industrial platform and if such received the approval of the electors, his company would be prepared to invest in the city giving it free water for five years, to erect and operate a textile plant, representing a \$2,000,000 investment and employing 1,100 hands (white labor). Besides this number employed in the factory, there would be about 230 men employed by outside firms following such vocations as engineering, tube-making, basket-making, wood-turning and tin work. I gave full particulars of these proposals at the Victoria West meeting, the only meeting held last election, but unfortunately for Victoria, the press failing to give publicity to the proposals, the electors were not aware of the facts and the whole scheme fell to the ground.

There is no question that if we desire to retain and build up a contented and prosperous community we must adopt a full dinner pail policy, that is the inauguration of new industries.

I am confident that with united effort we can achieve our object. I hope to have the opportunity of further speaking on the subject of industries at the meetings to be held during the municipal campaign.

W. F. FULLERTON,
1342 Pembroke Street, Victoria, B.C., November 12, 1924.

DOMINION ORGANIZER
HERE TO FIGHT UNION

Rev. Mr. McConnell Criticizes Church Bill Before B.C. Legislature—Disrupts Presbyterianism

The Rev. W. F. McConnell, Dominion organizer of the Presbyterian Association, who is here in connection with the Church Union Bill, said yesterday that instead of effecting union, the Church Union movement in Canada had resulted in disintegration and the disruption of the Presbyterian Church in Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and a wave of bitterness which had not paralleled in the history of the religious life of the Dominion.

In speaking the present status of the Church Union Bill before the legislature and the Presbyterian Association of Canada, Mr. McConnell said that the bill had passed with amendments in five of the legislatures, but it had not passed in Prince Edward Island, Quebec, Ontario or British Columbia. The Ontario Legislature absolutely refused to concede the principle of the bill to the Unionists, which principle was to legislate all the people and property of the churches into the union as churches and then allow the people to escape as individuals, or if they could get a vote and secure a majority they might take their local property with them, but minorities in governing congregations would be absolutely refused. Because of this refusal the unionists withdrew the bill in Ontario.

Present Phase
The present phase, therefore, of Church Union in Canada was interesting, he said, because three-fifths of all the membership and property of the Presbyterian Church in Canada were in Ontario and Quebec, and the action of British Columbia and Prince Edward Island legislatures would play no small part in the settlement of this important and much vexed question.

Mr. McConnell said that when the Private Bills Committee of the Federal House of Parliament had heard all the evidence it decided to postpone the date of its coming into force for two years, until the supreme courts had decided the legal questions involved, and not at all unless it was proven that the General Assembly had power to consummate the proposed union. But the bill was ultimately passed with amendments, Parliament protecting itself by the insertion of a clause specifying that the provisions of the Act were passed only in so far as it was competent for Parliament so to do.

The most important amendment, however, so far as the church was concerned, was that which provided for the taking of a vote by ballot between December 10, 1924, and June 10, 1925, as to whether or not the membership of the three churches should enter the union.

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FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY
(From The Daily British Colonist of November 14, 1974.)
The steamer Maude, with the West Coast mail and freight, arrived here from Comox and way ports yesterday at 5 o'clock. She brought with her the following passengers: Judge Fraser, Mr. Pooley, Mr. DeGarmo, Mr. Woods and wife, Mr. Robertson, Captain Sprague, T. Peas, Brian, Messrs. Caplan, Reardon, Mr. Jones, B. Robinson, Chelvey, Mrs. Griffiths, Brown, and eight others. The ship Blue Jacket is loading at Departure Bay, and the bark Albatross at Anacapa.

Dangerous Bridge—Reports are coming in from various quarters, about the condition of the various highway bridges. One attention has been especially drawn to the dangerous bridge a little beyond Six Lakes, on the East Main Road, which it is hoped will receive early attention.
We hear that some twenty buildings are being built at Nanaimo. Mr. Trueman, architect, has in preparation plans for a new four-story stone warehouse and a new wharf for Mr. John Hirst, merchant of that place. The warehouse will be 35 feet wide by 28 feet deep, 100 feet in height, and will be built in a substantial manner of cut stone and rubble. Tenders for the work will be asked for in a few days.



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FOUNDER OF NAVAL COLLEGE BURIED

Impressive Scene Witnessed at the Funeral Yesterday of Commander E. A. E. Nixon, R.N.

The great esteem in which the late Commander Edward A. E. Nixon, R.N. (retired) was held by the service to which he belonged as well as by the wide circle of his personal friends and acquaintances in all walks of life was testified to in the big attendance at his funeral yesterday afternoon from the little naval church of St. Paul's, Esquimalt. The edifice was crowded and a long cortege followed the remains from there to the Naval Cemetery, Esquimalt, where interment took place.

The body was brought from the family residence, Wilkinson Road, Colquhoun, early in the afternoon, pallbearers accompanying the remains to the church, where a fitting service was held. The impressive rites in the church were taken by Rt. Rev. C. de V. Schofield, Bishop of Columbia, assisted by Rev. F. Chapman, rector of St. Paul's. The organist played the funeral march, and the congregation joined in the singing of two hymns.

The coffin after the burial service in the church was placed on a gun-carriage for conveyance to the cemetery, the coffin resting on the Union Jack. The procession was led by a firing-party of twenty-five seamen, in charge of Lieut. Hart, and a further thirty or forty men acted as a team for the gun-carriage bearing the coffin, and beside which the pallbearers walked. These followed the chief mourners, Commander and Mrs. Nixon, of Cowichan; and Commander Beard, Mrs. Nixon and her two children; and about thirty of the chief and petty officers of the Esquimalt Naval Station, carrying the numerous wreaths and other floral tributes. At the cemetery Rev. Mr. Chapman took the committal service.

The Pallbearers.

The pallbearers were Ensign-Lieut. Commander G. P. Clarke, Lieut. Oland, Paymaster Cossette, Ensign-Lieut. Commander Stephens, Lieut. Gow, and Lieut. Godfrey.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor was represented by Major Selden Humphreys and Mr. H. J. E. Musket, Brigadier-General Ross, G.O.C., and Major Cobbett represented Military District No. 11. Others attending the funeral included Lieut. Hart, and a further thirty or forty men acted as a team for the gun-carriage bearing the coffin, and beside which the pallbearers walked. These followed the chief mourners, Commander and Mrs. Nixon, of Cowichan; and Commander Beard, Mrs. Nixon and her two children; and about thirty of the chief and petty officers of the Esquimalt Naval Station, carrying the numerous wreaths and other floral tributes. At the cemetery Rev. Mr. Chapman took the committal service.

The Sea Cadets' Band marched in advance of the cortege as it left the church, playing the funeral march.

PREMIER OLIVER DEFENDS POLICY

Continued from Page 1

"I agree that there is discrimination," returned Mr. Oliver, "but I have yet to hear that you or your Government has done anything to better conditions."

Concentrating his attack on the Cowichan-Newcastle men, Premier Oliver charged that he had announced the prosecution of a platform of policies, but had failed to make it public.

Mr. Oliver immediately objected, "I said in my speech that in view of the sparseness of worthwhile material in the speech from the throne that we of the Opposition would have many suggestions to make as to policies which would benefit British Columbia."

Premier Oliver as a come-back attempted to show that the member for Cowichan-Newcastle had little to kick about in comparison to members representing other ridings, mentioning particularly the constituency of Salmon Arm. Mr. Oliver's riding, he asserted, contained good roads and was comparatively small. Yet, he said, "we have received more criticism from Mr. Davis than any of the other Opposition members."

In reply to assertions made in the speech of Col. Fred Lister, member for the riding of Creston, Premier Oliver denied that conditions were as bad as the House had been led to believe.

Major Richard Burde, Alberni, in-

terrupted: "Don't jump too hard on the member for Creston. He is a friend of mine, and you are in danger of running foul of me."

"I would be very sorry indeed to have the member for Alberni against me," responded the Premier.

Chas. came from the Opposition benches.

The Garden of Eden

Premier Oliver took off his gloves when he turned to the member for Saanich, Hon. T. Coventry, who, in the June election, scored an overwhelming victory over the Hon. Mr. Pauline, former Speaker, and Government member. The Premier, in reference to Mr. Coventry's claim that his riding was a modern Eden, said that the biblical garden of that name had been ruined by the action of a snake which had driven out Adam. He likened Hon. Mr. Pauline to Adam.

Premier Oliver then turned his attention to Mr. W. Despard Twiss, Conservative, Victoria, in connection with the member's suggestion that all members of the Legislature awaited the arrival of order-in-council passed by the Government, he congratulated him on being ahead of his party.

"I want to say that while there has been a large increase in the number of orders-in-council issued by the Government, that increase has been due to the growth of the Province," the Premier said.

Scores Mr. Hinchliffe

Mr. J. Hinchliffe, second member for Victoria, was the next target of the Premier. He characterized the Victoria member's speech as being highly suggestive and filled with material calculated to engender an atmosphere of suspicion throughout the Province of wrong-doing on the part of his administration. He charged that Mr. Hinchliffe was an adept in the art of sowing seeds of discord and suspicion.

The Absentee Vote

The Premier attacked the Victoria second member for his assertion that the absentee vote had been the largest in those constituencies where it was not required by the Government candidates. He quoted figures to prove the statement incorrect.

"Will the Premier give to this House the percentage of absentee votes received by the member for North Vancouver as compared to the percentage he received in the city?"

The Premier replied that life was too short for such unprofitable occupations. (Laughter and groans from the Opposition benches.) "I have proven that the second member for Victoria made a misstatement," he asserted.

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Forty-seven years of the life of the late Mrs. Steers were spent in Victoria, she having accompanied her husband here from San Francisco in 1877, Victoria then being a comparatively small place. Mr. and Mrs. Steers were married in Devonshire, and shortly afterward crossed the Atlantic and took up their residence in Chicago, where they had a trying time during the great fire which devastated that city many years ago. During the

great Chicago fire their residence was just at the edge of the fire-swept zone, a large house which was partly destroyed intervening between their home and the conflagration, with the result that their home and belongings were saved. Soon afterward they moved to San Francisco, and after a short time at the Golden Gate, came by steamer to Victoria in 1877 and made this city their home.

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Del Monte Sliced Pineapple, small tins, each 17¢, or 6 for	\$1.00	Finest White Beans, 4 lbs.	25c
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Pianoforte Recital—The students of Dr. J. E. Watson will give their annual pianoforte recital early in the New Year. Arrangements will be announced at a later date.

Tourist Trade Meet—The Tourist Trade group of the Chamber of Commerce will hold its regular luncheon today at noon followed by the transaction of business.

S.P.C.A. Annual—All persons interested in work for animals are invited to be present at the annual meeting of the S.P.C.A. to be held on Tuesday, November 25, at 8 p.m., in the Art Club Room, Union Bank Building.

Fast Driving Charge—A charge of fast driving was laid in the police court yesterday morning. Mr. W. T. Straith appeared for the defence and asked for an adjournment of the hearing, which was granted. The hearing will be on Monday.

Old Testament Lecture—A lantern lecture on Old Testament views will be given by Rev. R. E. Kibler at St. Paul's Lutheran Church this evening at 7:30 o'clock. The lecture will be under the auspices of the Missionary Service League. No charge will be made for admission, but a collection will be taken in aid of the Society's work.

Extend Condolences—The School Board on Wednesday night passed a motion extending its deepest sympathy to Mrs. Andrews on the recent death of her husband, Mr. Frank Andrews, who for many years was a member of the teaching staff of the Victoria High School. Members of the board voiced their appreciation of the late Mr. Andrews' sterling qualities.

New Books Received—New books at the Hudson's Bay Library include "The Locked Book," by Frank L. Packard; "Pimpernel and Rosemary," by Baroness Orczy; "Warming," by Pamela Wynne; "The Worst Town," by J. S. Fletcher; "A Gentleman of Courage," by James Oliver Curwood; "The White Monkey," by John Galsworthy; "The Enchanted Hill," by Peter B. Kyne.

Sentenced to Jail—G. F. Sullivan, charged with having hit his car with a rug, was sentenced to two months in jail yesterday in the police court. The driver had had the rug taken from his auto while he was attending the theatre on Monday night. The accused pleaded not guilty and said that the curtain identified as belonging to the car of the informant had been in his possession for a long time. The rug was bought from a boy for fifty cents.

Will Address Radio Club—Mr. Harold Grant, local electrical engineer and president of the Victoria Radio Club, will address the club tonight at their regular monthly meeting on important developments in the radio world. Grant is a well-known local speaker and his address will be of great interest to radio fans. The meeting, which is being held at the new Victoria Hotel, 2210 Douglas Avenue, will commence at 8 o'clock promptly and all Victoria radio fans are invited to attend.

Oratorio "Ramsay"—The date for the performance of the oratorio "Ramsay" in First Presbyterian Church has been definitely fixed for Thursday, December 4. As the leaves only three more regular rehearsals, all members of the chorus are urged to keep these dates free from other engagements. A soloist will be Miss Eva Hart, soprano; Miss Norah Jones, contralto; Mr. Alexander Wallace, of New Westminster, tenor; and Mr. Cassidy Wells, bass. Mr. Alfred Gurney, will, as usual, be at the piano and Mr. Edward Parsons at the organ.

Central W.C.T.U.—The Central W.C.T.U. held its monthly business meeting yesterday afternoon in the Y.W.C.A. the president, Mrs. A. E. Mitchell, in the chair. There was a large number present and two new members received. A vote of sympathy was passed to Mrs. Andrews, who has been an active member of Central Union for a number of years. Mrs. Webster was appointed superintendent of medal contests. A discussion of a woman candidate for the municipal elections was held. At the next meeting, December 11, the plan of work will be discussed.

Cinderella Dance—The Cinderella dance at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium on Saturday night, promises to again prove the great success it has been every Saturday since these popular dances started. At every dance the hall has been taxed to capacity, and the Cinderella dances have won a reputation for being one of the most enjoyable and best conducted dances in the city. Innovations which have been introduced at every dance have been acceptable to the dancers, and more novelties will be led for next Saturday. Clarence Holder and his Bluebird Orchestra will again supply their "symphony" numbers for dancing.

Women's Canadian Club—Mrs. George Black, F.R.G.S., wife of the Federal member for the Yukon Territory, will be the speaker at the meeting of the Women's Canadian Club on Tuesday next at 2:15 o'clock. Mrs. Black will give a travelogue on the Yukon, illustrated with over one hundred slides, and as she is an accomplished speaker and raconteur, her address promises to be unusually entertaining. The meeting will be held at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium instead of the Empress Hotel. Invitations to attend the meeting have been sent to the Junior Canadian Club of St. George's, School and Uppingsham House School.

St. Mary's Scouts' Dance—St. Mary's Scouts are giving a dance to-night at St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay, under the auspices of the Parents' Association, and so much time and thought has been spent in preparation of the event that a large crowd and a big success are anticipated for the affair. The meeting will be used to aid the work of St. Mary's Troop and Pack of Boy Scouts. Dancing will begin at 8:30 and continue until 12:30. A live orchestra supplying the music. The committee has arranged for refreshments to be served. Tickets may be obtained from the hon. secretary, Mr. G. H. Hilliard, 1442 North Vancouver Road, or from any member of the committee.

Two Small Fires—The Fire Department had two runs yesterday afternoon. The second being within 50 minutes of the first. A chimney fire at 215 Skinner Street, Victoria West, was responsible for the first call. While the firemen quickly extinguished a fire at 1155 Johnson Street, near the corner of Chambers Street, where a table in the kitchen caught fire. Very little damage was occasioned at the latter premises.

Quashed Conviction—Sitting in Chambers yesterday afternoon, Chief Justice Hunter disposed of the case of Rex vs. George Lewis, which came before him as a stated case. The court quashed the conviction in the case. It had been brought before the police magistrate of Duncan in the first instance, when the defendant, accused of driving an auto contrary to the statute, was found guilty. His lordship took the ground that the section under which the charge had been brought was one that provided for three different offences. In this instance it was not specified under which count the charge was laid and he accordingly held that the information was faulty and quashed the conviction.

Primrose Lodge—Lodge Primrose, No. 32, of the Daughters of the Empire of England, is holding a bazaar in the Harmony Hall today. The opening ceremony is to be performed by Mrs. Mansel, Mrs. Rennie, Miss Dr. Clem Davis at 2:30 o'clock. Many useful and fancy articles will be on sale, and afternoon tea will be served. Whby Sister Harrison is general convenor, and the following ladies convene the various stalls: Fancy work, Sister Hunter; plain sewing, Sister Wright; candy, Sister Joyce; miscellaneous, Sister Skinner; bran tub, Sister Brown; afternoon tea, Sister Hunter. The conveners will be pleased if those who have sewing or donations for the various stalls will leave goods at the hall on Friday evening. An invitation is extended to all who care to attend.

Progressive Conservatives—The 500 Sons of Canada held their evening in the Sons of Canada Hall by the Women's Progressive Conservative Club proved a huge success. The following were the successful winners: First table, Mrs. Mansel, Mrs. Rennie, Miss Dr. Clem Davis; second, Mrs. Green and Mr. Spokito; third, Mrs. Denyer, Mrs. Holmes, Mr. Wilson and Mrs. Simpson; fourth, Mrs. Kiernan and Mr. Marsh. The special prizes were won by Mr. Livingston and Mrs. Kiernan. A number of young people arrived after the cards and enjoyed the dancing to the strains of Fiedler's orchestra, which played some up-to-date music, and was most generous with any nation. That decision had more for the peace of the world than the League of Nations or the Washington Conference.

Capitalist Machine—"We have no Labor Government anywhere," Comrade Petros declared. "We only have Labor men in office striving to run a capitalist machine. It is doubtful that even in Russia there is a socialist machine. Because the machine is still being operated with capitalist currency in Russia. The Bolsheviks are still using the gold basis."

ANNOUNCEMENTS
Superfluous Hair permanently destroyed. Moles successfully removed; scientific, antiseptic, safe, absolute cure guaranteed. Miss Hanman (certified London specialist), 22 Vines Building.

Entertainment, Memorial Hall Vancouver Street, Saturday, Nov. 15, 8 p.m., consisting of concert and song. Admission 50c. From California.

At the Cheapest Taxi Rates—passenger: Willy Knight Sedan. Any hour day or night. 42 per hour or any part of an hour at that rate reckoned per minute. Phone 4460X.

Women's Canadian Club—Tuesday, November 18, Chamber of Commerce Auditorium, 2:45 p.m. Speaker, Mrs. George Black, F.R.G.S., illustrated lecture on the Yukon.

Spot Lamp for Dances—Young Studio, Phone 2024.

Best Souvenir of Victoria—Water color paintings, local scenery. Special Christmas series, \$1.50 up. 612 View Street.

Panco Soles will outlast leather and it costs no more. Shoes soled and lasted. \$1.90. J. Woods, 1311 Blanshard Street.

The Reformed Episcopal Church Ladies Aid will hold their Jubilee Christmas Sale, Tuesday, 18th, 2 to 6, in the school, Humboldt Street.

Marine Beauty Baths, Electric Cabins, Bath, 322, 324, 326, 328, 330, 332, 334, 336, 338, 340, 342, 344, 346, 348, 350, 352, 354, 356, 358, 360, 362, 364, 366, 368, 370, 372, 374, 376, 378, 380, 382, 384, 386, 388, 390, 392, 394, 396, 398, 400, 402, 404, 406, 408, 410, 412, 414, 416, 418, 420, 422, 424, 426, 428, 430, 432, 434, 436, 438, 440, 442, 444, 446, 448, 450, 452, 454, 456, 458, 460, 462, 464, 466, 468, 470, 472, 474, 476, 478, 480, 482, 484, 486, 488, 490, 492, 494, 496, 498, 500, 502, 504, 506, 508, 510, 512, 514, 516, 518, 520, 522, 524, 526, 528, 530, 532, 534, 536, 538, 540, 542, 544, 546, 548, 550, 552, 554, 556, 558, 560, 562, 564, 566, 568, 570, 572, 574, 576, 578, 580, 582, 584, 586, 588, 590, 592, 594, 596, 598, 600, 602, 604, 606, 608, 610, 612, 614, 616, 618, 620, 622, 624, 626, 628, 630, 632, 634, 636, 638, 640, 642, 644, 646, 648, 650, 652, 654, 656, 658, 660, 662, 664, 666, 668, 670, 672, 674, 676, 678, 680, 682, 684, 686, 688, 690, 692, 694, 696, 698, 700, 702, 704, 706, 708, 710, 712, 714, 716, 718, 720, 722, 724, 726, 728, 730, 732, 734, 736, 738, 740, 742, 744, 746, 748, 750, 752, 754, 756, 758, 760, 762, 764, 766, 768, 770, 772, 774, 776, 778, 780, 782, 784, 786, 788, 790, 792, 794, 796, 798, 800, 802, 804, 806, 808, 810, 812, 814, 816, 818, 820, 822, 824, 826, 828, 830, 832, 834, 836, 838, 840, 842, 844, 846, 848, 850, 852, 854, 856, 858, 860, 862, 864, 866, 868, 870, 872, 874, 876, 878, 880, 882, 884, 886, 888, 890, 892, 894, 896, 898, 900, 902, 904, 906, 908, 910, 912, 914, 916, 918, 920, 922, 924, 926, 928, 930, 932, 934, 936, 938, 940, 942, 944, 946, 948, 950, 952, 954, 956, 958, 960, 962, 964, 966, 968, 970, 972, 974, 976, 978, 980, 982, 984, 986, 988, 990, 992, 994, 996, 998, 1000.

Dramatic Recital in Memorial Hall by Belle Eilers and pupils, Friday, November 14, 8:15 p.m. Also musical talent.

Miss B. Loree—Giving private manicuring and hair dressing. Phone 869L.

Electric Light Baths, Massage, Mr. and Mrs. Barker, 211 Jones Building. Phone 3446.

Rompers and Dish Towels—Electric Washing Compound cleans them. Phone 6551Y2.

Dr. Hugh Clarke, Dentist, 415-14 Central Building. Hours by appointment. Phone 1643.

Madame Whitworth School for Dressmaking, Phone 4169.

Xmas Photos in Order—Young Studio, Phone 2024.

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SAYS Y.M.C.A. NOT RICH BOYS' CLUB

Mr. Harold Cross Speaks of Influence of Organization—Tells of Present Financial Obligations

"The Victoria Young Men's Christian Association is not a rich man's club, nor a rich boy's club," declared Mr. Harold Cross, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., in an address on the activities and needs of the association, at the Rotary Club luncheon yesterday noon in the Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Cross maintained that the influence of the association rests beyond its membership and community service work, and permeated the business, athletic, scholastic and social life of the city. He emphasized the boy's work department of the Y. M. C. A. and its work, and paid a compliment to the boy's work committee of the Rotary Club for its excellent efforts in that particular field of service.

The speaker discussed the financial condition of the association at this time and reviewed the campaign held some time ago to clear off all the Y. M. C. A.'s total indebtedness. The sum of \$15,000 was asked, and although that amount was not secured, sufficient money was raised to pay off the mortgage and save the Y. M. C. A. building, for which "we must thank Victorians," he stated.

Toucheing on the Y. M. C. A.'s budget, Mr. Cross stated that expenditures for the year are at \$20,000 and receipts at \$12,000, thereby leaving the sum of \$8,000 to be secured through public subscription. These figures, he pointed out, were exclusive of the association's deficits of last year of \$1,700 for current accounts and taxes. In addition the Y. M. C. A. has an obligation of a bank loan of \$2,000, which has been reduced from \$20,000 to that figure.

Under the capable direction of Mr. Archie McKinnon, assistant physical director of the Y. M. C. A., the boys, Harry Ross, Robert Gordon and William Moffatt, gave an excellent demonstration of the physical side of the Y. M. C. A. work, which was much enjoyed and elicited considerable applause.

SUGGESTS PLAN TO ASSIST UNEMPLOYED

Messrs. R. W. Mayhew and Percy Watson Lay Proposals Before Rotary Club

If the Rotary Club of Victoria puts into effect suggestions made by a committee headed by Messrs. Percy Watson and Bob Mayhew, it will make a contribution towards alleviating unemployment in the city through its efforts to create work for the idle people in the community to do.

The matter was brought to the attention of the Rotary Club at the luncheon yesterday noon in the Chamber of Commerce by Mr. R. W. Mayhew, who withdrew his scheme, which he advanced several weeks ago to raise \$10,000 and expend the proceeds on development of the city's Elk Lake property, and urged consideration of the alternative proposal, advanced by Mr. Percy Watson.

Mr. Watson outlined his plan, which advocated that the club set as its objective the providing of 2,000 days of work during the Winter and requesting people to co-operate in this community effort to aid the unemployed by creating little jobs about their homes for idle men to do. He believed that the assistance of the general public in this endeavor would be secured.

The speaker proposed the circulation of cards among the citizens, those with possibly two days' work or more to register that fact, and state on the cards how long they wish a man for, what pay they are willing to offer, and when they want the work done. He suggested that a central office be opened, where people having work to offer could register, and the cards would then be turned over to the Provincial Employment Bureau. There would not be any expense attached to the service whatever.

That this plan would aid many unemployed in securing the necessities of life during the Winter months was the contention of Mr. Watson, who spoke on the features of the scheme. This plan meant that people giving money were not giving charity, but would receive full value for the amount expended, while the men who receive the money will actually earn it. This plan was commendable, he thought, because it did not savor of the dole system, but put the money in the hands of those who were willing to work.

The club decided to consider the scheme at its next meeting.

Wanted in Seattle
VANCOUVER, Nov. 13.—Edith Johnston, of Seattle, wanted by the sheriff of that city on a charge of grand larceny, was arrested here this morning. She is being held for the Seattle authorities.

Peter Smith Goes to Jail
KINGSTON, Nov. 13.—Peter Smith, former provincial treasurer, entered Portsmouth Penitentiary this afternoon to serve three years for conspiring to defraud the province in the sale of bonds.

Start Your Christmas Buying Now and Take Advantage of These Extra Special

Leather Handbags Reg. \$2.95 for \$2.49

Women's Handbags of grained leather in pouch or envelope shape; in black, sand, grey, navy and nigger; inside, change purse and mirror, strong strap handle. Regular \$2.95. Friday Bargain \$2.49. —Main Floor

Beaded Bags, Values to \$3.50 for \$2.50

Beaded Bags in novelty style, with ring handles or drawstring, in navy, black, green and sky, with multi-colored designs. Also French Beaded Bags, in pouch shape, nicely lined inside with silk, fitted with mirror, finished with beaded handle, in navy, brown and sage, with nice designs in dainty colors. Values to \$3.50. Friday Bargain \$2.50. —Main Floor

12 Round Card Tables at \$6.95 Each

High-Class Round Card Tables in solid finished oak, with best quality green felt tops, heavy tapered legs. Folds flat when not in use. Regular \$9.25. Friday Bargain, each, \$6.95. —1st Floor

Drug Sundries for Today

Malt Extract, large size, and package Hops, 98c
Watson's Tonic, Ale and Stout, double size, 70c
Kennedy's Tonic, 98c
Lug's Salt, large size, 98c
Lug's Tooth Paste, 10c
Forhan's Tooth Paste, small, 35c
value for 27c
Combination Puff and Silk Kerchief, 78c
at \$1.00 value
Hot Water Bottle, 2-year guarantee, at \$1.69
Aluminum Bottles, 75c value for 63c
Luxur Vauishing Cream, 75c value for 63c
Lafayette Cold Cream, 40c value 29c
Pinard's Liliac Lotion, \$1.25 value for 89c
Pinard's Eau de Quinine, 83c
La Belle Lotion for dandruff, 93c
Witch Hazel Cream, 35c value, 29c
Williams' Rose Talcum, 25c value for 19c
Talcum, 1-lb. tin, 23c
Minty's Shaving Cream, 35c value for 29c
Shaving Sticks and Holder, 35c value for 29c
Shaving Brushes, \$1.27. —Main Floor

Useful Household Necessities

At Special Prices for Friday Shoppers

Copper Wash Boilers
Made of heavy copper throughout, with polished wool handles. These are wonderful values. Friday Bargain \$4.95.
Weather Strip
All-Felt Weather Strip with solid rubber core, 22 ft. in a box, complete with nails. Special at 2 boxes for 95c.
Sanitary Dust Pans
Not stopping, all fitted with reinforced wire handles, which cannot spill. Special at, each, \$1.15.
Range Kettles
Fin Range Kettles, with drop handles, three-pint size. Special at, each, 39c. —Lower Main Floor

Grocery Specials For Friday and Saturday

Hudson's Bay Seal of Quality Creamery Butter, per lb. \$1.30
3 lbs. for \$3.90
No. 1 Quality Alberta Creamery Butter, per lb. 42c
3 lbs. for \$1.26
Choice Quality Alberta Creamery Butter, per lb. 40c
3 lbs. for \$1.17
Pure Bulk Lard, per lb. 21c
3 lbs. for 63c
Selected Smoked Picnic Hams, per lb. 18c
Selected Smoked Cottage Rolls, per lb. 22c
Sweet Pickled Picnic Hams, lb. 17c
Sweet Pickled Cottage Rolls, lb. 20c
Mild Canadian Cheese, per lb. 24c
Little Pig Pork Sausages, lb. 23c
2 lbs. for 45c
Hudson's Bay Special Breakfast Tea, per lb. 55c
3 lbs. for \$1.60
Hudson's Bay Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee, per lb. 38c
2 lbs. for 75c
Finest Quality B. C. Granulated Sugar, 20-lb. paper bag \$1.40
Climax Brand Laundry Soap, large bars, Special 23c
Finest Quality Table Salt, special 4c
Bodley's High-Grade Slab Cake, Bodley's Light Oriental Slab Cake, per lb. 60c
Bodley's Dark Oriental Slab Cake, per lb. 60c
Bodley's Perfection Sultana Cake, per lb. 50c
Bodley's Perfection Cherry Cake, per lb. 50c

Fruit and Vegetables
Finest Dessert Apples, 3 lbs. for 25c
Sweet Valencia Oranges, per dozen, 25c, 35c and 50c
Choice Red Emperor Grapes, per lb. 20c
New Florida Grapefruit, each, 20c
Arizona Grapefruit, 2 for 25c
Fresh Brussels Sprouts, per lb. 10c
Local Cauliflower, each, 12c and 20c
Sweet Potatoes, 2 lbs. for 25c
Spanish Onions, 3 lbs. for 25c
Head Lettuce, each, 5c. —Lower Main Floor

FRIDAY BARGAINS

Practical gift giving is going to be more popular than ever this Christmas. Better start now making your selections from our big stocks and splendid assortments. Many of these items, substantially reduced in price for today's selling, are specially suitable for Christmas gifts.

Extraordinary Bargains in Women's and Misses' Fur-Trimmed Coats

Tailored and Fur-Trimmed Coats, Values to \$22.50, for \$14.95

These are made from fine quality velour and the new cut velvet. Some with full fur or banded fur collars in wrap-over style; others are tailored with loose back and mannish collar and sleeves. They come in shades of brown, taupe, fawn; also check back polo in lovat and camel. Sizes 16 to 40. Special at

\$14.95

Velour Coats, Values to \$29.50, for \$16.95

Fashionable coats in all-wool velour and blanket cloth. New styles with side fastenings, wide sleeves and collars of beaverine fur, with trimmings of cable stitching and embroidery. Also tailored coats with trench pleat back, notch collars, raglan sleeves and leather buttons. In shades of brown, grey, beaver, sand. Sizes 16 to 42. Special at

\$16.95

Pur-Trimmed Coats, Values to \$45.00, for \$29.95

In a variety of new cloths, such as corded velour, velvetone, cut velour, tedeline of high quality. They are fashioned in a number of becoming styles, with trimmings of beaverine, Thibetina, French seal, tinted fur, with or without flared skirts, with wrap or close fitting armholes. Are well lined throughout. Sizes 16 to 40. Values to \$45.00. Special at

\$29.95

Sample Fur-Trimmed Coats, Values to \$125.00, for \$59.75

These are all high-grade coats in the very latest styles, actually made to sell at prices ranging from \$95.00 to \$125.00. They are fashioned from beautiful quality fabrics, including surlene, heavier cloth, ocean wave, embroidered marvella and many others. Nice big wrap styles, exquisitely trimmed with fashionable furs, and beautifully lined throughout. All sizes to 42. Values to \$125.00. Special at

\$59.75

Women's Winter Underwear, 89c a Garment

Women's Winter Weight Vests and Drawers of good quality knit cotton, slightly fleeced. Vests with opera top, built-up shoulders, or with short sleeves. Sizes 36 to 40. Drawers to match vests; open or closed, knee or ankle length. Sizes 36 to 40. Special at, per garment

89c

Also Heavy Quality Fleece-Lined Bloomers, large roomy garments with gusset. Come in mauve, navy, sage and cream. Sizes 36 to 44. Special at

89c

Flannelette Blouses \$1.39

Serviceable Blouses, and just the garment for the cool mornings. Made with convertible collar and long sleeves with buttoned cuffs. Come in grey, sky and pink; also in cream ground with neat stripes in contrasting colors. Sizes 36 to 44. Special at

\$1.39

Moire Underskirts Special, \$1.00

English make, in durable quality cotton moire, knife-finished flounce. In shades of rose, taupe, nigger, sage, jade, henna, navy and black. Special at, each, \$1.00. —2nd Floor

All-Wool Golf Hose in 4-1 rib, with fancy turn-down tops, shaped leg and reinforced heels and toes. Come in grey, navy, black, brown, cream and lovat; sizes 6 to 9½. Friday Bargain, per pair

69c

Good Books for Winter Evenings

Reprint novels by well-known authors, including Jack London, Alice Perrin, P. G. Wodehouse, H. G. Wells, Mary Roberts Rinehart, E. Phillips Oppenheim, C. N. and A. M. Williamson, Jean Webster, Gene Stratton Porter, Zane Grey and others. Friday Bargain, each, 75c. —Main Floor

Women's Flannelette Nightgowns Extra Special Bargain at \$1.95

Made from splendid quality white flannelette in slip-over style, with round or square necks, some trimmed with colored embroidery, others finished with buttonhole edge; also in button front style and long sleeves, V or high necks, neat yoke effect, trimmed with pin tucks. Extra special at, each

\$1.95

A Friday Bargain in Millinery

About fifty hats all in this season's styles, made from fine quality felts and combinations of velvet and felt, in a host of becoming shades. Values to \$5.00. Friday Bargain \$2.50. —Main Floor

Pure Wool Blankets \$7.98 a Pair

Woven from thoroughly scoured pure wool yarns, whipped singly and finished with blue borders; size 68 by 86; double bed size. Friday Bargain, pair, \$7.98. —Main Floor

Snow White Grecian Bedspreads, \$2.98

50 Only. Snow White Grecian Bedspreads, made from doubled yarns, insuring good wear. Size 86 by 96. Friday Bargain, each

\$2.98

200 Yards of Natural Spun Silks at 89c Yard

High-Grade Spun Silks in a clear natural color, suitable for dresses, lingerie and blouses; 29 inches wide; 200 yards only, so be early. Friday Bargain, yard, 89c. —Main Floor

Novelty Check Flannels, 1.98 a Yard

A splendid offering in pure wool Novelty Check Flannels, in shades of sand, brown, heaver, sage, Copenhagen and almond; 54 inches wide. Friday Bargain at, per yard

\$1.98



New Velour Hats \$5.95 for \$4.95

To introduce this special line of men's hats we are offering them at a special price for today's selling. They are made from good quality velour in the latest shapes, in colors of fawn, grey, mouse and black. All sizes. Regular \$5.95. Friday Bargain \$4.95. —Main Floor

Men's Silk and Wool Socks, 59c a Pair

Made from silk and wool mixture yarns in a flat knit, with ribbed tops to insure fit; all shades and sizes. Friday Bargain, per pair

59c

Men's Work Gloves 35c a Pair

Strong Muleskin Work Gloves, well made, and just what you need for these cold days. All sizes. Friday Bargain, per pair

35c

Men's English Gabardine Coats Special, \$14.95

English Wool Gabardine Coats, in blue and fawn shades. Made in the single breasted trench style, with all-round belt, slash pockets and two-way collar, tab and button on cuffs. Lined with strong quality check fabric. All sizes. Priced at \$14.95. Friday Bargain, per pair

\$14.95

Friday Bargains at the Tobacco Counter

La Rosa de Perfectos Cigars, box of 25 \$1.10
Honeyuckle Cigarettes, 10c value, 2 for 17c
Macdonald's British Consols Smoking Tobacco, 35-lb. tin 88c
Assorted shapes in Briar Pipes, \$1.75 value \$1.49
Fancy Cigarette Holders, 50c value, 43c
Fancy Cigarette Holder and case, \$2.00 value \$1.69
Leather Cigar Cases, \$1.75 value, \$1.49. —Main Floor

Christmas Ribbons At Special Prices

5-Inch Taffeta Ribbon in colors of brown, sky, white, navy, pink, emerald, royal, red and reseda. Suitable for making novelties, hair bows, sashes, etc. Also 5-Inch Dresden Ribbon in shades of mauve, pink, sky, navy, rose, red. Regular 45c. Special at, per yard

35c

Women's Patent Oxfords, \$1.98

Broken Sizes, Values to \$5.00
Patent Leather Oxfords, with smart Cuban heels, single soles on a comfortable stylish last. This line is broken in sizes and can be had only in 2½ to 5. Regular \$5.00. Friday Bargain, per pair

\$1.98

Women's Winter Brogues and Oxfords \$6.95

English Imported Nut Brown Willow Calf Brogues, with medium round toes, extra weight oak leaved soles. Also same make of shoe to be had in a Blucher style Oxford; sizes 3 to 7. Regular \$8.75. Friday Bargain, per pair

\$6.95

Drapery Fabrics At Bargain Prices

English Curtain Muslins
Dainty Curtain Muslins, in neat patterns for bedroom and bathroom curtains; 350 yards only. Special at, per yard

19c

Manufacturers' Short Lengths of Silk Gauze Nets
36-Inch Silk Gauze Net, with slight imperfections, in cream color. Regular \$1.25. Special at, per yard

45c

50 Only, Wash Rugs at \$1.00 Each

Closely Woven Wash Rugs for bedrooms or bathrooms. Shown in hit and miss patterns in dainty colorings finished with fringed ends; size 27 inches by 34 inches. Special at, each

\$1.00

Short Lengths of Floor Oilcloth and Feltol at 35c Per Square Yard

If you want a short length of floor covering for your bathroom, hall or pantry take advantage of this special and make a worthwhile savings. Special at, per square yard

35c

Trunks and Suitcases Now Located on the Third Floor

Extra space is needed this year for our Toy Department, necessitating the rearranging of some of the sections. Our fine big stock of trunks and suitcases deserves more space than we could possibly spare on the Lower Main Floor, hence the change to the third floor.

Save on Notions Here Today

Gaelic Safety Pins
In bundles of 50; assorted sizes. Per bundle 9c.
Wool Skins
In all the wanted shades. Regular 5c. Special at 7 for 25c.
Wooden Shoe Treas
Regular 15c. Special at 2 pairs for 22c.
Rosemary Hair Nets
Single mesh, cap shape; in light, medium, dark, ashburn and black. Regular 10c. Special at 4 for 45c.
Lingerie Sets
Containing one yard of shoulder straps and three yards of narrow tape, in colors of sky, pink and white. Regular 35c. Special at 15c.
Safety Pins
Assorted sizes, 12 on a card. Regular 10c. Special at 3 for 25c. —Main Floor

Boys' Corduroy Norfolk Suits Values to \$13.50, for \$8.95

English Brown Corduroy Suits in the popular Norfolk style, with all-round belt and elastic governor fasteners. Strongly constructed suits that will give good service at school and in the playground. Sizes 9 to 16. Special today

\$8.95

Boys' Wool Jazz Caps, 10c Each

All-Wool Jazz Caps in a large assortment of colors. Just the kind for outdoor sports. Special at, each

10c

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Social Events

For Hostess
Miss Ethel Hale, 1402 Stadacona Avenue, was hostess at a very delightful tea yesterday afternoon. The drawing room was lovely with masses of Autumn flowers. The door was opened by Miss Phyllis Pendray. Miss Hale was assisted at the tea hour by Miss Helen Hayward and Miss Elia Pottinger. Those present were Miss Helen Macdonald, Miss Iris Burton, Miss Louise Hayward, Miss Helen Hayward, Miss Ida Brandon, Miss Elia Pottinger, Miss Marjorie Pottinger, Miss Hilda Pottinger, Miss Helen Goward, Miss Dora Kenny, Miss Lillian Michalek, Miss Helen Starr, Miss Dorothy Pendray, Miss Chris-

tine Ross, Miss Katey Collier, Miss Marjorie Browley, Miss Eleanor Robertson, Miss Marjorie Oates, Miss Florence Oates, Miss Winnie Wilkie, Miss Molly Birch, Miss Edna Lundy, Miss Monina McKenna, Miss Lenore Hyndman, Miss Aileen Lawrence, Miss Lorna Lewin and Miss Margaret Campbell.

"Solace Parlienne"
Major L. Bullock-Webster left Victoria last night for Vancouver where he will take part in the "Solace Parlienne" to be given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Rogers, 2630 Nelson Street, on Friday evening, by the Thomas Crosby Circle of Wesley Church. Major Bullock-Webster and Mr. Gordon R. Nelson will give Harry Gratton's "Buying a Gun," which has been so well received on presentation in Victoria. The Misses Joy and Una Calvert, also of Victoria, will take part in the programme which includes the names of some of the best-known of local musicians, as well as some of the flower of the Little Theatre talent, and promises to appeal to the discriminating in music and drama. The popular journalists are contributing numbers to the evening's entertainment.

Guest of Honor
Mrs. McConnell, of "Woodlands," V.I., who is visiting Vancouver, has been the guest of honor at several very enjoyable social functions there during the past few days. Among her hostesses have been Mrs. G. T. McConnell, of Barclay Street, who entertained a jolly little bridge party,

the guests including Mr. and Mrs. Pat Maitland, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Remnant, Mr. and Mrs. Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. Earle, and others. Mrs. Alice Reid, Barclay Street, was her hostess last evening at a dinner party; on Saturday she was the guest of the Misses Gordon, "Crofton House" at the reunion and "Old Girls" tea, and Mrs. A. E. Salisbury, Bidwell Street, entertained in her honor at luncheon on Wednesday.

Military 500
The Cedar Hill Social Club held its weekly military 500 tournament last Thursday in St. Luke's Parish Hall, Cedar Hill. There was a good attendance in spite of the stormy weather. The prize winners were as follows: First table, Mrs. Townend, Miss Whitaker, Mr. Lane, Mr. Lester; second table, Mrs. Silver, Mr. Knapp, Mr. Hirst, Mr. Libby; ten-bid, Mrs. Knowlton and Miss E. Dunnett; tombola, Mrs. A. M. McCoubrey. Owing to the fact that St. Luke's W. A. is holding a bazaar on Friday, November 14, there will be no card tournament this evening.

Hostess at Reception
Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Laughlin Hughes was a charming hostess at a reception at her home, 1126 Esquimalt Road, when she entertained about fifty guests at the tea hour. Her mother, Mrs. Andrew Gray, assisted her in welcoming the visitors, and Mrs. J. M. Ross presided at the tea table, which was prettily decorated with pink chrysanthemums.

Going South
Mr. and Mrs. Ashburnham, of Cowichan Lake, have been in town since Monday. Santa Barbara, for the winter, and are sailing shortly for California, accompanied by Mrs. Regina Ashburnham and Miss Doreen Ashburnham.

Return to Santa Barbara
Mr. and Mrs. Wesley T. Mulligan and their daughter, Miss Caroly Mulligan, who have been visitors in the city for the past seven months, and have been staying at the Oaks, Oak Bay, have left by motor for their home in Santa Barbara, Calif.

Tea Hour Hostess
Mrs. Goulding Wilson was hostess at a delightful tea party yesterday afternoon at her home on St. Charles Street. The tea table and reception rooms were prettily decorated with masses of pink chrysanthemums.

Leaves for East
Mrs. M. A. Macdonald, wife of Mr. Justice Macdonald, of Vancouver, has left for a visit to Ottawa and New Brunswick, where she will spend the next six weeks. She accompanied Hon. Dr. King and Mrs. J. H. King.

Visits Capital
Mrs. J. Milnes is spending a few days in Victoria, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Andrews, en route to Duncan, after visiting Vancouver.

Visit Vancouver
Judge and Mrs. J. C. McIntosh, of Oak Bay, are visiting Vancouver, where they are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen H. Wylie.

Return to Victoria
Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Birnie have returned to their home on Fairfield Road, after spending a few days in Vancouver.

Returning Home
Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Angus are returning to their home on Rockland Avenue today from Vancouver.

Goes to Vancouver
Mr. C. R. Dunford has returned to his home in Vancouver, after spending the past week in the capital.

Visits Mrs. Robertson
Mrs. J. J. Shalton is spending a few days as the guest of Mrs. Arthur Robertson, Pemberton Road.

Back From Vancouver
Mr. Van Norreco has returned to his home in this city after visiting Vancouver.

HEAR ELOCUTIONISTS
Rome of Miss Powell's "petites" were at home to a few invited friends on Wednesday afternoon.

The class providing the elocution and chorographic entertainment consisted of live maidens. The aggregate of these years would not total fifty.

Clarity of enunciation was no less in evidence than dainty poise and graceful articulation. The dancing was a simple fairy revel; the children had profited by their rhythmic training and their sense of the importance and worth of discipline was in evidence.

In thanking the little ones, Major Watts asked them to offset the rigor of their drill by the pleasure they felt in giving pleasure to others.

They had been taught to open their mouths, facial muscles bespoke the mood, syllables were clearly pronounced, adjectives nicely stressed. Some homes would be made brighter by these potential good readers.

COURT MAPLE LEAF
The ladies of Court Maple Leaf met at the home of Sister Penner on Tuesday night, when a social hour was enjoyed, and further plans were made for the dance to be held by the members on Tuesday, Nov. 25, at the Chamber of Commerce. Ozaard's orchestra has been engaged for the dance and the latest musical hits will be rendered.

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BELGIAN ORGANIST AMazes AUDIENCE

Charles Courboin in Recital at Metropolitan Methodist Church Displays Ingenious Virtuosity

One is accustomed to consider the organ as a very dignified instrument of static and massive proportions, whose keys are stately and stolid form a bewildering maze among which any but the higher initiates are certain to get hopelessly lost. But under the hands of Charles M. Courboin, the Belgian organist who gave a recital on Wednesday evening at the Metropolitan Methodist Church, it seemed as if the organ were a plaything, thing, simplicity itself to play, yet full of the magnificent resources of tone and orchestral expression which one is accustomed to associate with the king of instruments, so amazing are his effects. The public which remained seated to applaud the virtuosity of it which is constantly finding fault with Victoria because of the dearth of high class entertainment which comes to this city, was completely won over and at the same time assisted in discrediting the city musically by allowing so many empty seats to be left in the church.

M. Courboin has remarkable originality and a delicate virtuosity in connection with the latter one was constantly struck by the delicate delicacy of his finger work, his clean sparkling, separate and individual notes, his beautiful refinement of phrasing. Only with such mastery of the instrument, linked with great physical vigor, could his originality find such an expression as it did in the interpretations of the various numbers. His dynamic contrasts, both in mood and tempo, were wonderfully startling in their dramatic effect. His ability to pass in a flash from tone seemingly evoked by the most fairy-like feathering of the keys to the reverberating thunder of the full organ was shown over and over again. And the tonal variation of many single sustained notes and chords was another revelation of the same skill and sense of musical beauty.

A Brilliant Exponent
The classicists have a brilliant exponent in Courboin. His programme opened with the Bach "Pascaglia in C Minor," which revealed the magnificent range of his genius in the beautiful formality of the variations. The turns and delirious and crispness marked his treatment of the middle part of this great work, while there was a fine sweep and magnificent ringing grandeur about the opening and concluding parts of the composition. Fine feeling distinguished his treatment of the charming Lotti Aria, an exquisite delicacy and crispness marked his treatment of the opening and concluding parts of the composition. Fine feeling distinguished his treatment of the charming Lotti Aria, an exquisite delicacy and crispness marked his treatment of the opening and concluding parts of the composition.

In the next group the Schumann "Sketch in D Flat," calling for much resourcefulness in registration, and the "Liedstuck" from Wagner's "Tristan and Isolde," vied with each other for first place in popular favor. The first, spiritedly dainty and precise, was accompanied in response to the clamorous applause; the latter might acceptably have been treated in the same manner, as in the extinction of many it was the most beautiful number on the programme owing to the wonderful orchestral effects produced and the great dramatic dimensions attained. The treatment of the dimmuedes here was surpassingly fine, and rich imagery was shown throughout.

Humor in Elocution
The characteristics of humor which one was always conscious of, even where it was kept in abeyance, came frankly to the surface in the Pietro Von Hunroque, "L'Organo Invisibile." Crisp, fresh, aptly, it advanced with quaint grace to a point where the earlier form of instrument may be assumed to have suffered a lapse in its bellows department, and for a long moment the organist waited serenely while the necessary assistance was given, then proceeding crisply and unperturbedly. The effect was as surprising as it was dramatic.

Both the Weiz Scherzo, of very delicate tracery; and the impressive march-time "Pomp and Circumstance" of Elgar were beautifully played, as was William Fox "Toccata and Fugue." The organist substituted for one of the announced numbers. This was a number of sharp contrasts, very crisp and keen in articulation, and showing as well as anything on the programme his great technical facility. The audience stood during the playing of the Hallelujah Chorus, and even after this encore M. Courboin generously gave another.

Americans Finance Big Syndicate to Purchase Toronto Wholesalers

TORONTO, Nov. 13.—A scheme under which about twenty-five or thirty of the recently wholesale grocery establishments in Toronto and Western Ontario will come under the same management, is in process of formation, according to The Toronto Star. A United States syndicate is quietly getting options on wholesale houses dealing in groceries, and proposes the formation of a company with a capital of \$15,000,000 to operate the institutions which they are taking over, the newspaper says.

Trade Commission to West Indies Sails Soon

OTTAWA, Nov. 13.—Hon. Thomas A. Low, Minister of Trade and Commerce, and Hance Logan, M.P., commissioners to investigate Canadian-West Indies trade conditions, will sail from Halifax during the first week of December for the West Indies. The official party will total six, including a representative from the Finance Department, one from the Trade and Commerce Department, and a representative of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine.

Polish Poet Rewarded
STOCKHOLM, Nov. 13.—The Swedish Academy today awarded the 1924 Nobel Prize in Literature to the Polish author, Wladislaw Reymont. The recipient is one of the later of Polish poets.

GODSPEED MADE MASH ON WRONG PARTY—90 DAYS

JERSEY CITY, N.J., Nov. 13.—Joseph Godspeed, twenty, a salesman, was sentenced to ninety days in jail today by Judge O'Driscoll for attempting to squeeze the hand of a woman seated next to him in a movie theatre last night. The woman was Mrs. Margaret Lauder, Jersey City policeman, who flashed her badge and arrested the salesman.

WEDDINGS

Gibson-Mahoney

NANAIMO, Nov. 13.—Miss May Mahoney, of Lancaster, England, and Mr. Harry Gibson, of Powder Point, B.C., were recently united in marriage at St. Paul's Church here by the Rev. S. Ryall. The bride was given away by Mr. A. C. Woodcock. She wore a regulation veil and orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet of white carnations. Mrs. A. C. Woodcock, dressed in grey silk and carrying pink carnations, acted as matron of honor, while Little Edith Woodcock, attired in a costume of pink silk, performed the duties of flower girl. Mr. Woodcock accompanied the groom, and Mr. Frank Pulice, on Wednesday evening. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was very charming. The ceremony was very charming. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was very charming. The ceremony was very charming.

Peterson-Pulice

At 1103 Princess Avenue, the residence of the bride's parents, in the presence of a large number of friends of the principals, Rev. Dr. Campbell celebrated the marriage of Mr. George Edward Peterson and Miss Rose Marie Pulice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pulice, on Wednesday evening. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was very charming. The ceremony was very charming.

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She was accompanied as bridesmaid by her sister, Miss Rae Pulice, in a gown of Havana Canton crepe. The groomsmen, was Mr. John Zarrell. After the ceremony refreshments were served to the assembled guests. The house was decorated artistically for the occasion, the colors being pink, white and green. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson left by the night boat for Vancouver, Seattle and other Sound cities, and on returning will make their home in this city, of which they are both natives.

Thomas-Mitlinger
At Broadbalm, 1185 Port Street, on Tuesday forenoon, a quiet wedding took place, when the Rev. J. Campbell, D.D., celebrated the marriage of Mr. Walter Gwyn Thomas, mining engineer, and Miss Elizabeth Helma Mitlinger, both of Vancouver. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas are spending a honeymoon in the Sound Cities, after which they will make their home in Vancouver.

CONGREGATIONAL SERVICES
The thanksgiving services and meetings over the week-end at the First Congregational Church have proved very successful. Large congregations attended the Sunday services at which the spirit of the day was very much in evidence. The musical programmes were particularly pleasing and added in a large measure to the effectiveness of the services.

The pastor, Rev. A. K. McMillin, brought inspirational messages, speaking in the morning on the subject "A Great Harvest at Hand," while "The New Patriarch" was his theme at the evening gathering.

The building was beautifully decorated for the occasion by the ladies of the church. A sum of approximately \$400 was raised as a "thanksgiving offering" to assist in the financing of the various activities of the organization.

On Tuesday evening the annual thanksgiving supper was held, close on two hundred members and friends being present under the chairmanship of Rev. A. K. McMillin. The arrangements being in the hands of the Ladies' Aid.

A feature of the evening was the first appearance of the Dramatic Club, which presented a pleasing comedy sketch, "The Rope Merchant," the members taking part being Miss Gwendolyn Townsend, Miss Gladys Sayer, Messrs. W. Harkness, C. Ozaard, A. Walker, W. Erickson, H. A. Howell and Robinson. Others taking part in the programme were Mrs. Leteave and Mrs. Barnes, who rendered solos in a very pleasing manner; Ashfield Walker, elocution; W. Harkness, conjuring; D. McPherson and R. Hammond, violin duets. Mr. J. King acted as accompanist throughout the evening in his usual capable manner.

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ALD. CHRISTIE TO RUN FOR MAYOR

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Three in Contest

The entrance of Ald. Christie into the field dispels the last doubt of there being a three-cornered fight for the mayoralty. Mr. J. Carl Pandey, president of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, chief executive of one of the city's principal industrial concerns and for years active in Chamber of Commerce and Publicity Bureau, was the first to announce his candidature, followed last week by Ald. W. J. Sargent, veteran member of the council and close student of the city's financial problems. The campaign will be in full swing within two weeks.

Mr. Thomas Palmer, candidate for the Police Commission, yesterday denied rumors said to be current about the city that he was seeking a place on the Police Commission because of

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personal animosity towards members of the department.

"My relations with all members of the police department have been extremely friendly and the suggestion that this is a sort of grudge fight on my part is absurd," said Mr. Palmer. "I have credentials from the chief to show that my resignation from the force a while ago was purely voluntary. My present position gives me an income practically double what I received while on the police force and this fact was the principal reason for my desire to sever my connection with the police. I have retained my interest in police affairs, however, and I believe that with my knowledge, gained while a member of the department, I should be able to give the city worth-while service as a commissioner."

Dr. Ernest A. Hall, retiring member of the commission, has yet to announce whether he will stand for re-election. Mr. Walter Steneland is waiting for this announcement before stating what he intends to do. He says he would not oppose Dr. Hall.

Vancouver Island

ARMISTICE BALL GREAT SUCCESS AT LADYSMITH

LADYSMITH, Nov. 11.—In spite of inclement weather, the Armistice ball at the Agricultural Hall on Monday night was a great success, due chiefly to the untiring efforts of the popular secretary of the grounds committee, "Dinty" Moore. "Dinty" had worked night and day in charge of the decorations, who, under his supervision, transformed the hall into a veritable fairyland. The predominant colors used were red and white, in honor of the Ladysmith Football Club, for whose benefit the dance was given.

Herlinvieux's orchestra performed in its usual satisfactory manner, introducing several of the latest New York dance hits. Refreshments were provided by the Ladysmith Cafe and served by dainty maidens specially groomed for the occasion. The floor management was in charge of S. Michie, who kept things moving in good style.

From every point the Armistice ball was voted the success of the year, and the thanks of all are due to Mr. Moore and his willing helpers who did the work and made the affair such a success.

Nanaimo Native Son Succumbs to Illness

NANAIMO, Nov. 13.—Mr. Robert Hoggan, 46, a native of Nanaimo, passed away at the family residence, North Gabriola Island, yesterday. The deceased, who had been ill for over a year, on Saturday took a decided turn for the worse and rapidly sank, death finally intervening at one o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The deceased lost his wife in the Empress of Ireland disaster some ten years ago. He is survived by one brother, Mr. William Hoggan, Newcastle Township, and four sisters, Mrs. James Deeming, Victoria; Mrs. Albert Deeming, North Vancouver; Mrs. Holm, Vancouver, and Mrs. Cox, Nudge Island.

The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon, and interment will be at the Nanaimo Cemetery.

Babe Slayer to Face Magistrate Tomorrow

NANAIMO, Nov. 13.—The funeral of two-year-old Leslie Dickie, whose death occurred on Sunday last as the result of suffocation at the hands of his grandfather, according to the verdict of the coroner's jury, took place this afternoon from the Halliburton Street Methodist Church, the service being conducted by Rev. Mr. Welsh. Leslie Dickie, the other of the dead boy, will appear in the city police court tomorrow morning, at ten o'clock, for preliminary hearing.

VETERANS HOLD DINNER

SHAWNIGAN LAKE, Nov. 12.—The returned men of Shawnigan Lake and Cobble Hill to the number of forty-three held their annual banquet at the S.L.A.A. Hall, Shawnigan Lake, on Armistice night. Lt. Col. F. T. Oidham presiding. After an excellent dinner, which was in the capable hands of Mrs. Winter, the tables were cleared away and the remainder of the evening given over to song and story. Mr. Harry Frith, of Duncan, played and accompanied songs by Captain Miles Elliott and others. Mr. Lloyd played the mandolin. Mr. Dyson and others recited and Mr. L. J. Hamilton provided an amusing and puzzling series of conjuring tricks. An enjoyable evening ended at midnight with the National Anthem.

SIDNEY NEWS

SIDNEY, Nov. 12.—The two minutes silence at 11 o'clock on Armistice Day was duly observed by the people of Sidney and district. The mill whistle gave the signal for silence and all stood for the given period. A special service at which communion was administered to a large number of people, was held in St. Andrew's Anglican Church by the Rev. T. M. Hughes. The National Anthem was sung at the end of the service.

The Deep Cove Social Club held its weekly card party on Monday night. There were ten tables of players, the winners being Mrs. G. McLean and Mr. Dick Horth. Club members received an invitation to the Sidney Social Club to go to Sidney to play them on some night to be arranged.

The home of Mrs. S. Halsey was yesterday afternoon a happy scene, when twenty ladies gathered by invitation of Mrs. Halsey to hold a linen and handkerchief shower in honor of Miss Eileen White, a popular bride-elect. The house was beautifully decorated with yellow chrysanthemums. The gifts were placed in a basket and drawn into the room in a wagon by little Eileen MacKenzie. A dainty tea was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. J. J. White and Mrs. C. C. Cochran.

At the home of Mrs. Knight about twenty ladies gathered yesterday for the purpose of giving a miscellaneous shower to Miss Alice Wattie, who will shortly become the bride of Mr. J. Nunn. The gifts were put into a baby buggy and wheeled into the room and presented to the bride-elect by little Mona Cowell, very sweet in a possee silk dress and with blue ribbons, while Miss Nellie Livesey played the wedding march. Music was rendered during the afternoon by Miss Livesey, and a guessing competition was won by Miss Alice Corfield, first, and Mrs. Deacon, second. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Knight, assisted by Mrs. W. Corwell, Miss Alice Corfield and Miss Alice Livesey.

OBSERVE ARMISTICE DAY

COBBLE HILL, Nov. 12.—The War Memorial was the scene of the annual service on Armistice Day, when many attended from all the surrounding points. The service, which was short and simple and followed the lines of former years, was conducted by the Rev. W. J. Crews, vicar of Cobble Hill and Shawnigan, and was followed by an appropriate and impressive address by the Rev. T. G. Barlow, the resident Methodist minister. The 1st Company Cobble Hill Girl Guides, and the Boy Scouts were in attendance as well as the children from the Cobble Hill and Mill Bay public schools, headed by their teachers.

INJURED BY FALL

JAMES ISLAND, Nov. 12.—John Thompson, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Thompson, had the misfortune to fall from the roof of his home last Sunday, hurting his wrist very badly and sustaining other injuries and a bad shaking up.

CHIEF DIVULGED ZINOVIEFF LETTER

SOVIET OFFICIAL WAS MESSENGER FOR DELIVERY

Escaped From Moscow and Took Airplane From Berlin, War-saw Paper States

WARSAW, Nov. 13.—The Lwowska Gazeta, a newspaper usually well informed on Russian Affairs, says the alleged Zinovieff letter was divulged by the chief of an important secret section of the Moscow Foreign Office, which directed propaganda in the British Dominions on Anglo-Soviet relations.

The newspaper adds that the man who took the documents to London is being kept hidden by the Conservatives for fear of an attack upon him by the Bolsheviks.

of October, taking with him the famous letter and other secret documents concerning Bolshevik propaganda in the British Empire.

His departure spread consternation among the Soviet authorities, and attempts were made to stop him at Berlin. He took an airplane to London, where other agents of the Soviet tried to seize him upon landing, but he again evaded them, and handed the Zinovieff letter and other papers to the Conservatives, who, the account says, intended to use the letter in the forthcoming debates in the House of Commons on Anglo-Soviet relations.

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LONDON, Nov. 13.—The Cabinet

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has appointed a committee to reinvestigate the alleged Zinovieff letter, calling for increased activities on the part of the British Communists, according to a statement in some of the morning newspapers. These reports say that the ministers agreed that the report could not remain in the indefinite position in which it was left by the Labor Government, and they decided it was necessary to establish whether the letter was genuine or a forgery in order to reply to the Soviet Government's demand for an apology. It is believed the committee's report will be ready for submission to the Cabinet at the next meeting, probably early next week.

The values of commodities carried on trains constantly in transit on railways is over \$1,500,000,000.

Entertaining in Vancouver—Several Victoria artists will take part in the "Soiree Parisienne," which is being held this evening in Vancouver at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Rogers, 3050 Nelson Street. Major Bullock-Webster, of the B. C. Dramatic School, will take part in a farce, assisted by Mr. Gordon Nelson; Miss Joyce Calvert and Miss Una Calvert, two Victoria musicians, who recently opened a studio in Vancouver, will give violin and piano numbers, and Mr. Clifford Prescott, of Victoria, a pupil of Mr. Joseph Hinton, who has a studio in this city, is to sing a group of songs. Mrs. Hinton, who is well remembered here as a singer, is to give a group of songs. The programme has been arranged by Mrs. Hinton for the Thomas Crosby Circle of Wesley Church, Vancouver.

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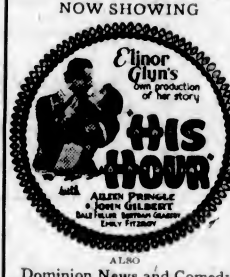


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5,000 Bootleggers in Washington
WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—There are five thousand bootleggers in Washington, Assistant United States Attorney Hart estimates, on the basis of figures gathered from his work in the police court and of prohibition enforcement. He also estimates that ten thousand charges of bootlegging have been brought into court during the last five years.

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COMING MONDAY
"The Hero of Ladyship"
A British Dramatic Production

WILL SEEK WORK AT HANDS OF COUNCIL

Unemployed of City May Later Present Their Claims Before the Provincial Government

At the adjourned meeting of unemployed held yesterday afternoon in the Community Church, formerly the Variety Theatre, it was decided to appoint a committee to wait upon the Mayor and members of the City Council and present the case for immediate action in the way of furnishing employment for the large number of those who were out of work in the city at the opening of the winter season. This committee will be appointed by the executive, and an immediate conference will be sought. This afternoon the meeting will reassemble to hear the results, if any are available.

At the meeting it was suggested that the Provincial Government should be approached on this serious question and asked to aid. After discussion, however, it was felt that the first move should be made in the direction of interesting the City Council.

The chairman, Mr. Walter Inward, pointed out that a saving of time would be so effected, as the Government would in all probability ask them if they approached that body what the city was doing in this matter. He felt that with three labor members in the Legislature at the present time holding the balance of power, that there should not be great difficulty in forcing the hand of the Government to action.

In the meantime the work of preparing a list of the unemployed was being carried along, but the City Council will be asked to prepare a plan for the registering of those without work in the city.

There were over two hundred present at the meeting yesterday. The executive committee that was appointed at the meeting was as follows: Messrs. J. Stevenson, R. Jones, J. Thomson, A. Cole, Harry Thain, Charles Flick, R. S. Sanderwick, C. Bilsborough, E. Cruickshank, E. Lewis, W. Kyle and A. Durham.

At the Playhouses

NEW ROLE TAKEN BY LOIS WILSON DELIGHTS

Portrays Molly Wingate in "The Covered Wagon" Hailed as Greatest of Photographs

One of the greatest roles she has ever had: That is what Lois Wilson has in James Cruze's production of "The Covered Wagon," a new Paramount picture which will be shown at the Dominion Theatre next week. The picture is said to be one of the finest ever screened.

Molly Wingate—if you have read Emerson Hough's novel, you'll never forget her. Pretty Molly, a daughter of the pioneer days—forced to face the terrible struggle against the wilderness and its untamed inhabitants when the West was still unwon.

Miss Wilson is ideally cast. She is Molly Wingate to the life in temperament, appearance and character, and her portrayal will be hailed as one of the real artistic achievements of the screen.

Miss Wilson rides a spirited horse which runs away with her and later is caught in a prairie fire from which she is rescued by the hero, the incident being one of the most thrilling in the action of the picture. There isn't a dull moment in Miss Wilson's scenes in the photograph.

J. Warren Kerrigan plays the role of Will Blanton, "major under Donishan" in the Mexican war, easy of manner, courteous and brave. The other roles are filled by players of genuine ability.

CAPITOL Wonderful places are built from time to time in film studios, but few such sets can vie for beauty and meticulous attention to detail with the church built for "Squibs' Honeymoon," now showing at the Capitol Theatre. A cobblestone path wound under an old larch gate and across beautiful greenery up to the porch of a really picturesque old church of solid construction that looked genuinely old Norman. The church came from the little door in the porch came a bridal procession headed by Squibs, who had just been married to ex-P.C. Lee. They passed through the larch gate and under an arch of Piccadilly flower girls' posies and policemen's truncheons, whilst pounds of confetti were showered on them and a pair of turtle doves fluttered over the scene.

The reason for the building of the quaint and really beautiful old church is given in the producer's—Mr. George Pearson's—own words:—"We have plenty of pretty, old churches in Britain," he said, "but we had so many scenes to take outside the church at Squibs' wedding, including some stunt stuff, that we felt it would be much more convenient and expeditious to build our own church. And here it is."

Tonight, in conjunction with the screening of the big double attractions at the Capitol Theatre, Prescott's Concert Orchestra will play a specially selected accompaniment of musical numbers. The picture attractions this week being of a comedy nature, the music will be all popular and light.

The lesser subjects comprising this week's picture attractions will also be featured in a musical review that should prove to be very entertaining.

COLUMBIA A Western romance of THEATRE unusual interest is "The Heart Buster," from the story by George Scarborough, which opened at the Columbia Theatre last night for a three days' run. Set in the heart of the cow country in Arizona, this picture, the fifth in which William Fox has featured Tom Mix, can be truthfully acclaimed one of the best pictures of this star who never makes a bad picture. Esther Halston plays the part of Rose Hiller entrancingly, and as a blushing bride she is irresistible. Others in the cast are Cyril Chadwick, William Courtwright, Frank Currier and Tom Wilson. Jack Conway directed.

COLUMBIA According to the major THEATRE ity of critics, the best performance so far in the screen career of Percy Marmont is his portrayal of Mark Babine in "If Winter Comes." It is a favorable sign for the excellence of "K—The Unknown," a Universal Jewel production directed by Harry A. Pollard, and now playing at the Coliseum Theatre, that Marmont's role is that of K. LeMayne in the Mary Ioberts-Richard story, starring Virginia Valli.

PLAYHOUSE Ethel Clayton's exquisite beauty never showed to greater advantage than in her role of the willful American girl in "The Remittance Woman," her third P. B. O. production staged at the Powers studio and now being shown at the Playhouse Theatre. Miss Clayton's remarkable histrionic ability, combined with her unusual blonde beauty, combine her to give a splendid characterization of this type of a cultured but somewhat spoiled girl who has a great feeling of sympathy for humanity.

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AMUSEMENTS

The Screen
Capitol — Squibs' Honeymoon, starring Betty Balfour.
Coliseum — "The Unknown," featuring Virginia Valli.
Columbia — Tom Mix in "The Heart Buster."
Dominion — Allen Pringle in "His Hour."
The Stage
Playhouse — "Wanted—A Wife."

MIX BETS ON HIS COWBOY HOOFERS IN LATEST FILM

Tom Mix, the William Fox screen star, whose latest William Fox picture, "Oh, You Tony!" will open a six-day run at the Capitol Theatre, beginning Monday, comes forward with a little wager that he has in his following of cowboys the best "hoofers" that ever tapped a toe to "Turkey in the Straw." Between scenes during the making of that picture on the William Fox West Coast Studio lots, the Mix cowboys went into action for the benefit of other actors on the set and spectators. "I'll put that bunch of buck-and-wingers up against any of 'em on the West Coast," Tom declared after they had danced the harmonica player off his stool. "And I'll bet money on 'em, too. Bring on your competition."

Claire Adams has the leading feminine role in Tom's latest starring vehicle, Dolores Rouse has the next most important feminine role, that of the villainous and vamp. Others in the cast are Earle Foxe, Richard Leno and Pat Chrisman.

Held by "Radio Inspectors"

MONTREAL, Nov. 13.—Two bogus "radio inspectors" forced their way into the home of Mrs. Zoe Mallotte yesterday evening, and after binding and gagging her, made off with rings which they pulled from her fingers. Two gold watches from a bureau drawer, and as much of the family silver as they could conceal in a sack.

FIFTY INVOLVED IN RUM-RUNNING

OUT ON BAIL, TOTALING \$265,500 AT SAN FRANCISCO

Seek Extradition of Defendants in Canada—Officials Think Task, However, Difficult One

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 13.—Approximately fifty defendants in two sensational, supposed rum-running conspiracies involving operations of the suspected rum fleet extending from Panama to Vancouver, B.C., appeared before United States commissioner today in response to prohibition violation indictments against them and gave a total of \$265,500 in bail. Thirty-five additional defendants are either being sought or have provided for later appearances.

The date for their appearance for trial in the United States District Court has not yet been set.

One case concerns the capture of the supposed rum-runner Quadra, a British steamer, and her crew being brought into port with a prize worth a cargo of liquor valued at \$500,000. Another case is that concerning the steam yacht Guilla, which was scuttled by her crew off the coast of San Luis County, California, presumably to prevent her capture as a rum-runner. A third case concerns a supposed police-bootlegger graft conspiracy, but this has been subordinated to the other cases in public interest.

F. R. Anderson, Vancouver, B.C., attorney who came here to defend the Quadra defendants, was released on \$10,000 bail. He holds his arrest to be "a frame-up and an outrage." John B. Demaris, supposed head of the conspiracy involving the Guilla, also gave \$10,000 bail.

The government is concerned itself with possible extradition of the defendants who may be on Canadian soil. It was admitted by the prosecuting officials that their extradition would be difficult.

Hunting Lodge Burned

PRINCE RUPERT, Nov. 13.—The hunting lodge just completed near Port St. James by Paul Walter, has been destroyed by fire, according to word received here. The building, known as the Stuart Lake Retreat, was to have been opened next summer.

Special Announcement!

Owing to the unusual interest manifested in the forthcoming engagement of Cecil B. DeMille's mighty spectacle "THE TEN COMMANDMENTS" which begins a week's engagement Monday evening, November 24, the management of the Coliseum Theatre has decided to inaugurate a special mail order department for the engagement of this attraction.

Applications for seats will be filed in the order of their receipt.

Kindly address all communications to Manager Coliseum Theatre.

Orders should be accompanied by check or money order for the number of seats desired.

Performances will be given twice daily except Monday. Prices for the daily matinees are 55c, 85c and \$1.10. For night performances: 55c, 85c, \$1.10 and \$1.65, including tax.

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Regular box office sale will open at the Coliseum Theatre on Wednesday, November 19 at 10 A.M.

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V.O.N. MEET AT NURSES' NEW HOME

Reports Show 725 Visits During October—Total for September Was 733

The regular monthly meeting of the local Board of the V. O. N., was held on Tuesday afternoon, at 2:30, in the new home of the nurse in charge, Miss Curry, and her first assistant, Miss McCormick, at 424 Linden Avenue, "Argyle Court."

Miss Curry reported 725 visits in October, of which 485 were free, 151 infant welfare, 78 instructive (including T.H.), 55 social science, 59 supervising, 44 prenatal and 18 postnatal. 10 night visits, 4 well-baby clinics. Four nurses on duty.

September visits not reported before amounted to 723, of which 492

Former Railroad Man Dead

BROCKVILLE, Ont., Nov. 13.—H. F. Chaffee, former well-known Eastern Canadian passenger traffic official, died last night, aged 66. His long connection with transportation interests gave him a very wide acquaintance throughout Canada and the United States. His widow survives.

Succeeds Senator Lodge

BOSTON, Nov. 13.—William M. Butler, lawyer, manufacturer and chairman of the Republican national committee, today was appointed by Governor Cox to succeed the late Henry Cabot Lodge as United States Senator from Massachusetts.

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\$22.50 Three-Piece Silver-Plated Tea Services, now	\$16.75	\$20.00 Men's Filled Gold Wrist Watches, with 15-jewel Geneva movement, now	\$15.00
\$20.00 Silver-Plated Ivory-Handled Bake Dishes, now	\$15.00	\$10.00 Men's Silver Wrist Watches, with a reliable Geneva movement, now	\$7.50
\$15.00 Pyrex-Lined Silver-Plated Casseroles, now	\$11.25	A large assortment of Boys' and Girls' Wrist Watches, regular price \$5.00, now	\$3.75
\$12.00 Egg Sets, gold lined, now	\$9.00	LADIES' WATCHES	
\$10.00 Fruit and Cake Baskets, silver plated, now	\$7.50	\$35.00 Ladies' Gold Bracelet Watches, all shapes, now	\$26.75
\$7.50 Engraved and Plain Silver-Plated Comports, now	\$5.15	\$20.00 Ladies' Filled Gold Bracelet Watches, many designs, now	\$15.00
\$5.00 Silver-Plated Bonbon and Butter Dishes, now	\$3.75	\$15.00 Ladies' White or Green Filled Gold Bracelet Watches, now	\$11.75
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OTTAWA, Nov. 13.—Hon. William Pugsley, Royal Commissioner investigating Canadian claims for war indemnity against Germany, will leave some time before the end of the present month on a tour of Western Canada, during which he will hold sessions at Regina, Edmonton, Calgary, Kamloops, Vancouver and Victoria. The definite date of his departure for the West is expected to be determined early next week.

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Senate Motion Arouses Returned Men in House

Captain Ian Mackenzie's Plan Has Stormy Passage When Mr. Despard Twigg and Colonel Cy Peck, Charging "Politics," Turn Guns on It—Major Burde Calls It Extraneous Matter and Adjourns Debate

HIGH temperature permeated the Legislature during the closing minutes of yesterday's sitting when Captain Ian Mackenzie, Vancouver, spoke to his resolution asking curtailment of the power of the Senate to obstruct legislation on re-establishment of ex-service men. Accusations of partisanship flew from one side of the House to the other, and a climax was reached when, following a plea by Colonel Cyrus Peck, V.C., Conservative member for The Islands, that Captain Mackenzie, "as a man and a soldier," should help to keep matters affecting returned soldiers' re-establishment out of politics, the Independent member for Alberni, Major Richard Burde, seconded the Mackenzie motion, protested that if eleven war veterans on the floor of the House were going to fly at each other's throats on such a matter, they had better withdraw the resolution.

Oppositionists, headed by Colonel C. W. Peck, V.C., who had already moved an amendment, indicated that they would have much to say on the debate later and kept up a running fire of interruptions as Captain Mackenzie addressed the House. The mover began by informing the House that the G.W.V.A. and many other returned soldier organizations, including the Canadian Legion of Victoria, of which Mr. H. Despard Twigg, third member for the Capital City, is an ex-president, had passed resolutions in the same terms as that submitted to the House. Captain Twigg said the Legion had passed the resolution hurriedly and that it was being reviewed.

Charges Partisanship
"This resolution was submitted in sincerity and a non-partisan spirit, but my friends opposite got ten members of that association to sign a petition to upset the resolution," said Captain Mackenzie. "The first introduction of partisanship was by my honorable friend opposite trying to upset the resolution passed by the Canadian Legion."

Captain Mackenzie then went on

with a recital of the long battle put up by the veterans' organizations to have a Royal Commission set up to inquire into ex-service men's grievances and present a report to Parliament.

"I do not say this in a partisan spirit," he said, "but it is a fact that not until the present Liberal Government came into office was that commission established."

"Why wouldn't the Liberal Government do its duty by returned soldiers?" asked Captain Twigg.

Captain Mackenzie: I can't help it if my remarks happen to touch a tender spot in my Conservative opponents.

Colonel C. W. Peck: He does touch me when he introduces into a matter that is sacred to me the spirit of party politics.

Captain Twigg: Well, he's a politician.

Captain Mackenzie: Withdraw that. It was at this point that Major Burde urged the resolution be withdrawn rather than provoke discussion among the returned soldier members.

Reviews Negotiations

Captain Mackenzie resumed by an assurance that to show the non-partisan spirit in which the question arose the G.W.V.A. of Vancouver, headed by Colonel Jack Leckie, a close personal friend of Colonel Peck, had interviewed Premier King, asking precisely the same thing as his resolution urged. He continued by paying a tribute to Captain Twigg for his excellent work in presenting to the Ralston Commission the views of the British Columbia veterans.

The commission had reported, recommending many of the things asked for by the veterans, and after further inquiry by a committee of Parliament, the House of Commons had unanimously enacted a number of the commission's recommendations, but the Senate in two sessions running had annihilated five or six important clauses, he declared.

"I hold no brief for the Senate, but they were not annihilated; they were simply stood over," interrupted Captain Twigg.

"They were blocked from becoming law this year," retorted Captain Mackenzie. Since that time the Senate reform proposal had been asked for a large number of returned soldier organizations and associations of widows and others, he said.

No Politics Wanted

"Why drag returned soldier matters into the mire of politics?" asked Colonel Peck. "Why not approach the question of Senate reform on its merits?"

"The returned soldier question is the one with which I am most familiar," replied the Vancouver member. "Of 849 applicants for hearing before the pensions appeal boards in British Columbia, only 47 could be heard by that tribunal because of the manner in which the Senate restricted its powers. Good service could be done for the other 800 if the Senate had not intervened."

To a question by Mr. C. F. Davie, the mover said that the Senate had given as reason for its action that the legislation was submitted to it too late in the session for proper consideration, in which he admitted that the Liberal leader had concurred.

Major Burde, in moving adjournment of the debate, said he was supporting the resolution, but disagreed with the mover in bringing extraneous matter into the discussion.

AUSTRALIAN DOCK STRIKE SPREADING

VESSEL MOVEMENTS SERIOUSLY INTERFERED WITH

Several Ships Held Up and One Sails With Short Cargo—Eight Free Labor Bureau

ADELAIDE, South Australia, Nov. 13.—The widespread strike of stevedores and dock laborers at the Australian ports is seriously interfering with the movement of vessels here. Several ships are held up and are unable to leave for Great Britain. One vessel managed to get away, but it was not able to load much of a cargo and had to leave behind fifty tons of butter intended for the London market.

Eight Labor Bureau

SYDNEY, Australia, Nov. 13.—The striking stevedores and dock laborers now aim at the abolition of the free labor bureau in Sydney, where hundreds of non-unionist workers are being given preference in obtaining employment.

Today 20,000 transport workers pledged themselves to support the attitude of the waterfront men in fighting the bureau.

DELVE INTO HOME BANK'S B.C. LOANS

One Thousand Dollars Realized by Liquidator on Securities Covering \$130,000 Advances

TORONTO, Nov. 13.—The Crown, at the trial of J. F. M. Stewart, Home Bank director, this afternoon, on the charge of concealing in false returns concerning the bank, saved into the affairs of the Reynolds Lumber Company, which owed the Home Bank \$130,000 at the time of suspension. The accused was interested in the Reynolds company. A. H. Douglas, of Vancouver, who was trustee for the Reynolds company after it went into liquidation, testified, saying that the company was declared insolvent in 1922. W. F. Burland, accountant in the Vancouver branch of the Home Bank, told of the Reynolds accounts in the bank, stating that they were operated on instructions from the head office. The bank had realized about \$1,000, he said, on securities given it by the company for loans.

The trial will be continued tomorrow.

It is estimated that news gathered sent out from Washington, 500,000 words a day by wire, wireless and mail.

WEAK GOVERNMENTS LIKENED TO DINOSAUR

Resembling Monster With No Brain, Says Dr. Hutchison in University Extension Lecture

"Biologically speaking the brain is master of the body only so long as it works for the common good; it is servant of all," said Dr. Hutchison, professor of biology in the University of British Columbia, in the course of an evening of the first of a series of four lectures on "Evolution" which are being given at Victoria College under the University extension scheme. Dr. Hutchison's subject, "Growth, development and evolution," led through the history of the individual plant cell, of the individual animal cell, to the consideration of the life of these units when they became individuals in an aggregation, specialized, and co-operating for the welfare of the community of which they formed a part in the plant or the animal. Lantern slides very clearly illustrated the manner of growth and multiplication

of cells. Comments on specialization and his conclusions, in which he related the subject of biology to philosophy, occupied the concluding part of his lecture and provided subject matter for a number of questions from the audience later on.

What Specialization Means

"Specialization means efficiency," he stated at one point after defining the mission in leaves, trees, etc., of specialized cells as "protective," "food carriers," etc. Development, whether in the form of growth or evolution, was towards civilization, inter-relationship, co-operation. Specialization in a cell meant loss of the power of growth, but on the other hand growth in many forms of plant and animal life meant only increase in size, it did not increase their usefulness. Only in the higher stages of evolutionary processes was the power found to continue the last stage of growth, the brain and nerve centres, the co-ordinating forces of the body. And this growth did not mean an increase in the size of the brain but rather the continued development of the existing cells by the sending out of fibers. The power of a nerve cell to increase seemed almost unlimited. Man's brain should—and generally does—continue to develop in this way long after the so-

called growth of the brain has ceased, and the most highly evolved of animals was the man whose brain had retained its power of growth.

Goal of Evolution

"The goal of evolution is a system whose specialization of parts means efficiency," commented Dr. Hutchison. How did comparison of growth and evolution modify the conception of this subject of evolution, he asked. Viewed from this angle evolution was really progress toward harmony through co-operation rather than a struggle for existence.

"The very fact that Germany was able to sustain her population in the war, although isolated, proves that her development was not of the highest, as to be self-contained is to revert to the primitive condition," said the speaker. Referring to England, he added: "We forget that it is her interdependence that has made her what she is, one of the most highly developed nations."

Governments, he maintained, should be the brain, the co-ordinating force, of society; and like the brain of the individual they were master only so long as they worked for the common good. Otherwise they undermined the health of that on which they depended.

Capital and labor were brought into the analogy. Labor was the hands, capital the heart and blood. Co-operation between the two was imperative. And the League of Nations was aspiring in ideal to co-ordinating leadership. Such leaders must be great leaders, otherwise they would reproduce the pitiable condition of the monster dinosaurs with gigantic bodies and no brains.

"We need a big brain to co-ordinate the universe. To harmonize the universe is the direction and goal of growth, of development, which is law of the universe, one of God's laws. To have harmony we must respect this law."

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All New Fiction Books And, as you know, we've thousands of them, are offered at SALE CLEARANCE DISCOUNT OF 15%	Children's Books We've too big a stock of them. SALE CLEARANCE DISCOUNT 20%	Complete Harvard Classics 50 Volumes—a magnificent set. Sale Price \$25.00
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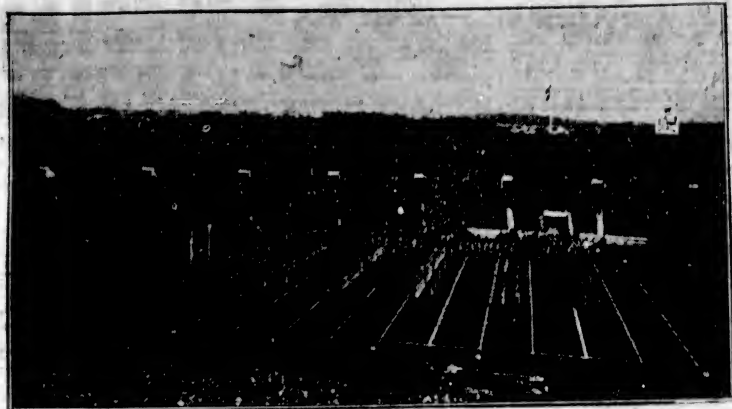
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The Colonist's Pictorial Page



A general view is shown of the huge Yale Bowl and the 85,000 persons who witnessed the Army and Yale battle to a 7-7 tie in a rugby struggle recently. West Point cadets lined the field before the game



A recent photograph is shown of Shirley Kellogg, the well-known English revue actress, who is bringing an action for divorce against her husband, Mr. Albert de Courville, famous producer



The girls of Wellesley College, Mass., are taking a keen interest in their newest of sports, archery. Maybe they want to become female "Robin Hoods" or "William Tells"



Cynthia Cambrid, of the "Follies", who is reported engaged to Thomas Manville, Jr., son of the millionaire asbestos king, of New York, will be his second bride from that famous chorus of beauties



Hon. E. M. Macdonald, Canada's minister of national defense, returned to this country recently after a trip abroad. He was photographed on board ship on his arrival in New York



The U.S. cruiser Trenton, carrying a plane aboard, has left for North-Atlantic waters to search for the forty-foot craft, commanded by William W. Nutting, which is long overdue in its voyage across the ocean



Two professors of theoretical physics in the Institute of Technology, Mass., have perfected a system of splitting a second of time into billionth parts. Some think this idea worthless, but scientists figure otherwise



The victor of this battle between two Rocky Mountain sheep will have to remain undecided to death, as the horns of the animals became interlocked during the duel



Who says rugby is the one sport girls cannot invade? These feminine teams, organized by the co-eds of a university at St. Peter, Minn., wear regular football gear and play a good manly rough-house game



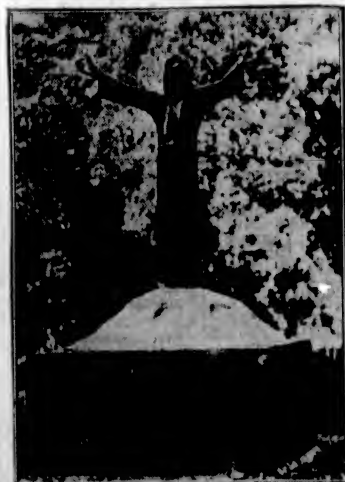
Georgia peaches are not all packed in boxes. Here're three of a variety that were baled with cotton at the Warren County Fair recently



Felix Charbeau, winner of a cooking contest held recently in Paris, is proclaimed the best maker of pastry in the whole of France. He is shown in his working clothes



Homer Hazel, 29, star of the Rutgers College, New Brunswick, N.J., is a married man with three children. He was once the head of a big manufacturing firm before deciding to return to university



"The Hymn to the Sun," the figure of St. Francis of Assisi, will be erected on one of the highest points of the Appenines, in spite of adverse criticism of its artistic merits in Italy



This curious contrivance, with its grim suggestion of the stocks of old, is a form of fur press used by the Hudson's Bay Company at Fort St. John, Peace River.



The remarkable progress made in the rebuilding of Tokio following the earthquake is shown in this photograph



A Mart for Busy Readers-House and Business Property for Sale and Exchange

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Finance and Commerce

STOCK FLUCTUATIONS BECOME MORE ERRATIC

Sales for Fifth Consecutive Session Exceed Two Million Mark, But Close Was Irregular

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—With sales exceeding 2,000,000 shares for the fifth consecutive full session, price fluctuations in today's market became more erratic, closing's markets displaying considerable irregularity.

Opening trading was not in such large volume but when it became apparent that the heavy profit-taking of professional traders was completed at least temporarily the market swung upward again on increased activity, with some spectacular advances taking place in the popular industrial.

The high prices, however, encouraged a renewal of realising and bear selling, which was still under way when the closing gong sounded.

More than fifty issues, mostly industrial, soared to new peak prices for the year, while the general industrial average was carried to the highest level in several years. The general railroad average showed a moderate decline.

Castrol Pipe Soars

United States Castrol Pipe was the sensational performer, soaring over 8 points to 147 1/2, a new high for the year, and all time on a continuation of recent short coverings, and then sagged back to 142. American can also established a record top at 153 1/2, but ended later to 151 1/2.

U.S. Steel common crossed 115 to the highest price in five years and then slipped back to 114 for a net gain of nearly one point on the day.

Declaration of the regular dividend on Southern Pacific setting at rest rumors that the annual rate was to be raised to \$7, brought about heavy selling of that stock, which dropped 2 1/2 points from its high and had a dampening effect on other railroad shares. Katy preferred developed strength later, climbing nearly four points to a new 1924 maximum price at 84 1/2. Missouri Pacific preferred, and Atlantic Coast line also broke through their previous 1924 highs.

Call Money Unchanged

Call money rates unchanged at 2 per cent.

Thus money rates held steady, although offerings increased.

Commercial paper rates continued to rule between 3 1/2 and 3 3/4 per cent.

The transfer of funds from New York to London in order to take advantage of the higher interest rates in the British capital, was reflected in the advance of more than three cents in sterling exchange. Scandinavian currencies also made substantial gains, most of the other European countries showing slight improvement.

Railroad and industrial bonds, after attaining the highest levels of the week today, yielded later to profit-taking and prices generally worked downward at the close.

Trading in high yielding railroad issues, however, continued to develop independent points of strength. With the exception of the Liberty 3 1/2 all issues in the United States Government list displayed good recuperative powers. Coincidentally with a three-cent rise in sterling, United Kingdom 5 1/2's of 1929 touched a new 1924 peak at 144 1/2.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—Foreign exchange rates, quotations in cents: Great Britain—Demand 48 1/2, cables 48 1/2; 60-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 90-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 120-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 150-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 180-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 210-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 240-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 270-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 300-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 330-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 360-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 390-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 420-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 450-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 480-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 510-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 540-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 570-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 600-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 630-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 660-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 690-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 720-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 750-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 780-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 810-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 840-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 870-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 900-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 930-day bills on bank 48 1/2; 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BEST QUALITIES

Store Hours—9 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Wednesday to 4 p.m.

SUPERIOR VALUES

Today and Saturday Women's Coats for \$14.95

Sale of Weiler's Stock of Silverware and Cut Glass Commences Today

Brushed Wool "Chappie" Coats

Exceedingly Popular This Season.
Good Value at.....

\$9.50

Chappie Coats, "Universal Knit" brand, of soft brushed wool, in ribbed effect. They have collar and bell sleeves that are neatly finished with silk braid, and have fancy buckle on left side. The shades are fawn, grey and sheepskin. Sizes 36 to 42. A real bargain at.....
—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

A New Shipment of CHILDREN'S SKIRTS \$1.98 Each

Children's Armure Crepe Skirts, pleated from the waist, attached to white cotton bodice; shown in navy, fawn and brown. Sizes for 6 to 14 years. Special values at, each, \$1.98
—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

On Sale Today and Saturday Women's and Misses' Fur-Trimmed and Tailored Fall Coats, \$14.95

This is a group of excellent grade Fall Coats, showing the latest style development and superior tailoring.

Fur-Trimmed Coats, made in four different styles. Some with full size collars, others with bar of fur across collar. Straight lines or belted, trimmed with cable stitching, have full sleeves with strap, convertible collars and fully lined. Shades are navy, grey, taupe, blue, sand and brown. On sale for.....
—Mantle Dept., 1st FloorTailored Coats in "Utility" styles, made of good texture tweeds. Shown in belted effect, with inverted pleat in back, turn-back cuffs and slash or patch pockets. They have leather buttons, have convertible tailored collars, half lined and shown in shades grey, brown, blue and fawn; sizes 16 to 44. On sale for.....
—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

Women's and Children's Fleece-Lined Underwear

Children's Heavy Fleece-Lined Sleepers, one-button front, drop seat, made with feet; keep the children warm from head to toe. Sizes for 1 to 9 years. Each.....
Children's Heavy Fleece-Lined Waists, buttoned down front; warm for winter wear; shown in natural or white. Sizes for 2 to 12 years. Each.....
Women's Extra Heavy Fleece-Lined Bloomers, in grey, with elastic at waist and knee; made with large gusset. Sizes 36 to 44. A pair.....
Women's Extra Heavy Fleece-Lined Bloomers, in navy and sage; excellent weight, with elastic at waist and knee; made with large gusset. Sizes 36 to 40. A pair.....
—Underwear, 1st Floor

Woolen Garments for Baby

Warm Wool Dresses, in plain and fancy weaves, all white, with neck and sleeves trimmed with colored scalloped edge. Each.....
Infants' Wool Pull-Overs of cream stockinette, with gaiter top and elastic at waist. Sizes for 1 to 2 years. Each.....
Wool Pull-Overs, in fancy or plain knit weaves, with feet. A pair.....
Infants' Wool Toques and Bonnets, all white or trimmed with sky and pink ribbon rosettes and ties. Priced from, each.....
Cream Lambswool and Bearskin Coats, designed on straight lines, belted or close fitting, with collars or large capes; suitable for ages 3 months to 2 years. Each.....
—Baby Wear, 1st Floor

Women's Warm Flannelette Wear

For Your Winter Needs

Warm Flannelette Gowns, made with high or V neck and long sleeves, trimmed with fancy stitching in colors. Special qualities. Priced at, each.....
Flannelette Gowns of superior quality, trimmed with embroidery and insertion; made with V or high neck and long sleeves. Priced at, each.....
Slip-On Nightgowns in a very large assortment of styles, trimmed with colored stitching, lace or embroidery. At, each.....
Out-Size Flannelette Gowns with high or V neck and long sleeves, trimmed with embroidery or self frills. Priced at, each.....
Flannelette Pajamas, in 2-piece slip-on or coat styles. Shown in white and neat colored stripes. Priced at, a suit.....
Flannelette Underskirts, made with deep hem or flounce. Splendid qualities, priced at, each.....
Extra large sizes, each.....
—Wintertime, 1st Floor

A Great Many People Have Been Waiting for the Following Announcement

The Weiler stock of Silverware, Flatware, Cut Glass, Fancy Cases of Cutlery, Fancy China, will go on sale commencing today at

25c to 75c on the Dollar

SEE WINDOWS

—Lower Main Floor

Bon-Ton and Royal Worcester Corsets

Models Their Real Worth Has Made Famous Throughout the Continent

Bon-Ton, "Round-U" model, of pink broche and surgical elastic, with two medallions at lower back; wrap-around style, with low bust, long skirt, and boned with Wundabohn. Excellent value at.....
"Round-U" model, made of sections of fancy broche and surgical elastic. They have low bust, long skirt, four hose supporters and lightly boned, for.....
Corsets for the stout figure, made of pink silk broche, with elastic sections over hips, elastic thigh reducer, long skirt, low bust and graduated front steel. The Corset that gives desired results for, only.....
—Corsets, 1st Floor

A Sale of Men's Handkerchiefs

Direct Importations From Belfast

Men's White Irish Lawn Handkerchiefs, 17 x 17 inches, with quarter-inch hem; soft finish; ready for use. Regular value, 2 for 25c. On sale.....
Men's White Irish Lawn Handkerchiefs, extra large, 19 x 19 inches, with half-inch hem and fancy satin border. Value, each, 25c. On sale, 3 for.....
Men's Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, full size and with half-inch hem. Regular 35c each. On sale for.....
Men's Fine Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, with quarter-inch hem and full size. Regular 50c value. On sale for.....
Men's Fine Mercerized Soft Finish Handkerchiefs, with colored borders. Special, 3 for.....
"Etonia" Brand Mercerized Handkerchiefs, with fancy colored borders and one-inch hemstitch. Each.....
"Etonia" Brand Twill Mercerized Handkerchiefs, with soft, silky finish, colored or white, with assorted fancy borders and novelty designs; one-inch hemstitch. Regular 50c values, for.....
Men's Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, with quarter-inch hem and full size; finest hand-embroidered initials, and warranted all pure linen. Special, each.....
Men's Japanese Silk Handkerchiefs, with fancy hemstitch and silk embroidered initials. Special, each.....
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Inlaid, Granite and Jasper Linoleum

Weiler Stock, and Great Value at \$1.45

600 Yards of Genuine Inlaid Linoleum in which the colors go right through to the canvas back. Shown in pleasing jasper, felt and granite effects. Weiler's price, a square yard, \$1.75. On sale for.....
—Linoleum, 2nd Floor

Men's and Boys' Boot and Shoe Bargains for Today

Men's Black Calf Oxfords are what all the young men are wearing. See our new lines at, a pair.....
Men's Work Boots of brown or black grain leather, in all sizes. A pair.....
England's "John Bull" Boots for men is monarch of them all. Brown or Black Calf Oxfords or Boots in 14 styles, built on four different lasts. All sizes. All one price, a pair.....
English Football Boots for Men and Boys are now in stock, in a complete range of sizes. Men's sizes, 6 to 9½, a pair.....
Boys' sizes, 1 to 5½, a pair.....
Men's All-Leather Slippers, with stout leather soles and heels, in black, brown or maroon. A pair.....
—Shoe Dept., Main and Lower Main Floors

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England's "John Bull" Boots for men is monarch of them all. Brown or Black Calf Oxfords or Boots in 14 styles, built on four different lasts. All sizes. All one price, a pair.....

English Football Boots for Men and Boys are now in stock, in a complete range of sizes. Men's sizes, 6 to 9½, a pair.....

Children's Flannelette Nightwear

Warm, Cozy Garments for the Winter Nights

Children's Colored Pajamas, made of good quality flannelette, in 2-piece style. Shown in pink and white and blue and white stripes. Sizes for 8 to 15 years. A suit.....
—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

Every woman wants the newest thing in giftware

THE very latest idea in gift things for brides, or for birthdays and anniversaries, is Fiberloid toiletries in these three new Gift Packages of blue and gold.

Each contains the correct assembly of those useful articles that every woman craves. There are smart new color effects, such as Ivory or Shell, edged with Amber.

Men especially like the convenience of buying gift toiletries, ready-boxed for instant selection, each box a complete gift. Now on display in our Toilettware Department.

Prices for the Gift Packages range from \$11.50 to \$25.50

Giftware of FIBERLOID The Happy Choice

—Toilet Articles Section, Main Floor

A Recent Weiler Shipment of Scotch Curtain Nets

On Sale Today

This shipment of Scotch Curtain Nets has just been received, but owing to large quantities already on order we are clearing the Weiler shipment at greatly reduced prices. Curtain Nets, 36 inches wide, in fine designs. Excellent value at, a yard, 49c. On sale for, a yard.....
Curtain Nets, 45 inches wide. A fine all-over lace net. Good value at, a yard, 79c. On sale for.....
—Drapery, 2nd Floor

Office Chairs and Stools

From Weiler's Stock—On Sale Today

One Only, Standing Desk, of golden fir, six feet long, with three drawers. Weiler's price, \$35.00. On sale for.....
Two Only, Arm Chairs, of fine quartered oak. Weiler's price, each, \$17.50. On sale for.....
One Golden Oak Tilter Office Chair, with leather seat. Weiler's price, \$16.50. On sale for.....
One Fumed Fir Office Table, 24 x 36. Weiler's price, \$8.50. On sale for.....
One Only, Fumed Oak Office Table, with large drawers, 22 by 36. Weiler's price, \$15.00. On sale for.....
One Only, Fumed Oak Office Desk, 40 x 50, with seven drawers. Excellent value at Weiler's price, \$65.00. On sale for.....
One Only, Golden Fir Office Desk, 30 x 50; has six drawers. Weiler's price, \$45.00. On sale for.....
—Furniture, 2nd Floor

Men's Dressing Gowns

Many Handsome Models at \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$16.50

A new shipment of Men's Dressing Gowns has just arrived in the Men's Clothing Section, representing many beautiful effects. They are made from most desired cloths and patterned in neat checks or plain. Warm gowns with fancy pockets, cuffs and collars, well tailored and dressy. Just such a gown as you have desired, and most suitable for Christmas gifts for men. All good values at \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$16.50
—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Boys' Underwear and Nightshirts

Specially Priced for Today's Selling

Boys' Combinations, "Penman's No. 95" Brand, a natural wool garment with short sleeves, and knee length. Suitable for winter wear. Sizes 26 to 32. A suit.....
Boys' Underwear, "Robin Hood" Brand, a good heavy garment for winter wear, strong and warm; shown in natural color. Sizes 22 to 32. A suit.....
Boys' Fleece-Lined Sleepers of good grade, made with feet and drop seats. Sizes 26 to 32. A suit.....
Boys' Nightshirts of strong texture flannelette, well made for the ages of 8 to 14 years. Each.....
—Boys' Store, Lower Main Floor